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AN ARREST.

Sheriff Langley Will Make One for August Voudrie's Killing.

A Well-Known Resident of Centerville Is Suspected.

RESULT OF THE POST-DISPATCH'S INVESTIGATION OF THE TRAGEDY.

The Same Man Who Killed Voudrie Suspected of an Attempt to Shoot a Young East St. Louis Hunter—Mrs. Voudrie Will Swear Out a Warrant.

Sheriff Jeff D. Langley of St. Clair County, Ill., has made an investigation of the mysterious death of August Voudrie, who was shot at Pittsburg Lake Oct. 17. The circumstances brought to light by the investigation of a POST-DISPATCH reporter, the details of which were published yesterday, were carefully looked into by the Sheriff and he became convinced that Voudrie was murdered. He visited Centreville Station and had a conference with Constable Paridy of that township, who was in possession of important facts relating to the case. Satisfying himself that the case was one calling for official action on his part, he determined to sift it to the bottom and, if possible, arrest the murderer. It is an open secret that a well known resident of the [illegible] and it is thought that sufficient evidence can be obtained to fasten the crime upon him. Sheriff Langley, in the course of his investigation, obtained the names of certain parties who had some knowledge of the affair and were willing to testify to what they know, but he declined to state who they were to-day, as such a course might seriously interfere with his plans. Mrs. Voudrie, the widow of the man who was shot, is expected to swear out a warrant for the arrest of the man suspected of killing her husband. Since the investigation of this case began it has been learned that a young man residing in East St. Louis was fired upon and nearly killed at the place where Voudrie met his death. This occurred a week ago. The young man was a 17-year-old son of Judge Wm. P. Launtz, a prominent attorney of East St. Louis. He was hunting about the lake with a companion and while walking along the shore near the house of Peter Marion was fired upon by some one who had a rifle. He had a shotgun on his shoulder, and the rifle bullet struck the stock of his gun, cutting it in two. The man who fired the shot was seen, and the description of him given by young Launtz and his companion tallied with that of the person suspected of killing Voudrie.

Shot From the Shore.

EAST ST. LOUIS NOTES.

Sheriff John Fightmaster of Guthrie, O. T., reached here last night with a requisition for John Milligan, the colored murderer, who was arrested by Officer Church Sunday. He left this morning fo Springfield to secure Gov. Altgeld's official recognition of the extradition papers, and will probably return to-night to take charge of the prisoner. Sheriff Fightmaster brought news of the latest developments in the case, which were that two more deaths had occurred as the result of Milligan's fiendish assault on the Clark family near Guthrie. Clark's wife was killed outright and Clark and his 9-year-old daughter were left for dead, but revived, and were thought to be recovering. Milligan had crushed the skulls of all of them with an ax. Clark and his daughter lived some time afterward, but both died before Sheriff Fightmaster left Guthrie.

M. A. Sullivan, who left East St. Louis a short time ago and took up his residence at 3154 School street, St. Louis, died yesterday of dropsy. He will be buried at St. Henry's Cemetery here tomorrow. Mr. Sullivan was 35 years old and had a family.

Frank O'Connell was held for the Grand-jury today on the charge of grand larceny. O'Connell grabbed $140 from the cash box of the Avondale Club at the race track yesterday afternoon but failed to get away with it.

John Sullivan, who was arrested yesterday on the charge of stealing $5 from Harry Tindall of 1328 Broadway was held for the Grand-jury by Justice Wilson.

F. G. Cockrell has gone to Kinmundy, Ill., to see his wife, who is dangerously sick at the home of her parents there.

Theodore Hellbruek, aged 17, was held for the Grand-jury to-day on the charge of stealing coal from the Cairo Short Line yards.

A stranger, who was arrested here yesterday for a petty offense, was discovered to be Peter Colgan who escaped from the St. Louis Work-house recently. He was turned over to the St. Louis police.

Mrs. Lena Morrison died at her home on the Island to-day, aged 39 years. The Coroner has been notified and will hold an inquest, as the woman died without medical attendance.

Belleville.

Mrs. Elizabeth Menkhausen, wife of a well known ex-police officer, Gus Menkhausen, died suddenly last night and a sensation was caused by a report that she had committed suicide. About two months ago Menkhausen, who was then doing duty as a special officer, was dismissed from the department on account of some trouble he had with another woman, and when it was reported that his wife had died suddenly, presumably from poison, a rumor to the effect that she had been driven to suicide became prevalent. Coroner Campbell held an inquest this morning, but failed to ascertain the cause of the woman's death. Several women living in the neighborhood of the Menkhausen residence, near the West End Police Station, were present when she died, and they were called upon to testify at the inquest. One woman stated that she was called by one of Menkhausen's children and found Mrs. Menkhausen lying on the floor, in the throes of a convulsion. She called several other neighbors, and after they came Mrs. Menkhausen had three more spasms, dying in the fourth. Menkhausen was not at home when his wife died. He left after the evening meal, his wife being in ordinary health at that time, and did not know of her illness until he was apprised of her death. Mrs. Menkhausen was in a delicate condition and would have become a mother in a few weeks. A post-mortem examination was made and the inquest was adjourned until next Monday to give the Coroner time to make an analysis of the contents of the stomach.

Hiram Padfield, father of Edgar Padfield, whose sentence of a year in the Penitentiary for burglary has been confirmed by the Supreme Court, made a trip to Springfield Wednesday to lay a petition for the pardon of his son before Gov. Altgeld. The Governor read the petition, but declined to grant a pardon on the grounds that there was no new evidence to be shown bearing on the case and that the trial judge had not given a positive recommendation for clemency. Mr. Padfield is thoroughly convinced that his son is innocent, and is hopeful of obtaining new evidence that may influence the judge to recommend a pardon.

Fred Stoltz, a member of the Fire Department, died last night of typhoid fever at St. Elizabeth's Hospital. He was a son of Mrs. Stoltz, residing on South Jackson street.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to T. A. Schaller and Ida Lickhant of Mascoutah, J. N. Spade and Lizzie Mehring of Smithton.

Frank Leidenheimer, a well-known barber of West Main street, died last night at his home, Illinois and First streets.

HOWARD'S ALIASES.

Trial of a Case Celebrated on Two Continents.

JACKSON, Tenn., Nov. 10.—The sensational and celebrated Howard case is still all the talk here. Yesterday and this forenoon has been consumed in the examination of witnesses from Texas, Arkansas, Mississippi, Kentuckey and Tennessee as to the identity of letters sent to them by defendant with a view to show that Willian Loru Moore of London, England, Joseph Ledger and E. Ross of New York and the defendant are one and the same person.

There are thirty-five or forty witnesses to examine yet. Among them, and the most important one, is Frank C. Froest of the Criminal Investigation Department, Great Scotland Yards, London. The Government propose to show by this witness that William Lord Moore and defendant are one and the same person, and that William Lord Moore signed an agreement to quit the business carried on at No. 5 Ingersoll road, Shepherd Bush, London. The Government claims that they have witnesses to show that soon after this there was sent out from New York by Soseph Ledger a large number of letters purporting to be decrees of the Supreme Court of Chancery, notifying the parties who had European claims in his hands that the property had been decreed to them, and that on the payment of $35 taxes he would issue to them that it will be fully able to prove that Joseph Ledger and the defendant are one and the same person.

Counsel on both sides are stubbornly contesting every inch of ground. The question whether the Government will be allowed to introduce the papers of defendant signed by Postoffice Inspector Little under search warrant has not been settled by the court yet. Defendant's counsel still hold that the production of defendant's private papers in that way was in effect compelling him to give evidence against himself and in violation of his constitutional guarantee not to be compelled to incriminate himself.

AN INSANE REFORMER.

George Henderson Chases Women With a Revolver.

George P. Henderson, 35 years of age, was committed to the Insane Asylum to-day by Dr. Warren G. Priest, Chief Dispensary Physician. Henderson lived at 1127 St. Charles street, a house kept by Sadie Hyatt. He was recently released from the City Hospital and conceived the idea that he was a modern Savior, and his mission in life was to reform fallen women. He got an acute attack last night, and securing a revolver chased all the inmates into their rooms, threatening to kill them if they would not wash some clothes for the woman called Georgie. A policeman was called and Henderson was placed under arrest.

The woman, "Georgie," with whom he has been intimate for several years, was seen and gave the following account of what she knew about Henderson;

"He has been living with me for several years, and at several times has had crazy spells almost as violent as last night's attack. This one has been coming on for over a month; about four weeks ago he lost his job with an insurance company because he had got his books so muddled up they couldn't tell anything about them."

"How long had he been making mistakes in his books before they found it out?" asked the reporter.

"About a week, so he told me. About that time too he had a fight at the house where he boarded and got all bunged up, and I noticed he got worse after that. Well, last night he came in here and the first we knew of his being crazy was when he said: 'If some of you don't wait on Georgie and wash her clothes I will kill you.' With that he came back in my room and coming out in the hall with them drew a pistol and ran all of the women in their rooms."

"How long have you known him?"

"Oh, he's been living with me for ten years. The last time he got violent I had him taken to the City Hospital and had Dr. Marks telegraph for his sister, who lives in Sedalia. His people all live there and are prominent, as I understand."

"How did he act when he had a spell?"

"Well, he walked around with his eyes turned heavenward and was always talking about being a savior and a son of God. He told them all last night that I was a daughter of God, and all that I needed was to be born again."

Denver Cable Road Receivers.

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 10.—Judge Hallett, on motion of Wells, Taylor & Taylor and William M. Safford of New York, to-day appointed George E. Randolph of Denver and Cornelius S. Sweetland of Providence, receivers of the Denver City Cable Railway Co. The bill shows that the receipts have fallen off 50 per cent, and the earnings barely meet operating expenses. The floating debt and mortgage liens aggregate nearly $4,300,000. It is thought the recent failure of Wilbur, Jackson & Co. and Sheldon & Binner of Providence, R. I., caused the action. The above firms held a large amount of bonds of the cable company.

Deputy Jemais Dead.

PARIS, Nov. 10.—M. Emile Jemais, Deputy from the Department of the Gard, is dead.

NOT REAL WAR.

Mello Refused Recognition by the United States.

He Has Failed to Achieve the Status of a Belligerent.

THIS GOVERNMENT IN THE ATTITUDE OF AN IMPARTIAL OBSERVER.

The Rebel Brazilian Admiral Prefers His Request Through Minister Thompson to the State Department—Fighting Continues in Rio Bay—Putting Peixoto's New Fleet in Readiness for Sea—Their Armament.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 10.—Secretary of State Gresham has received a dispatch from United States Minister Thompson at Rio de Janeiro stating that he had received a circular from Admiral Mello, the insurgent leader, asking that the United States recognize his rights as a belligerent. Minister Thompson asked for instructions. After a conference between Secretary Gresham and the President our Minister was instructed to say to Admiral Mello that in the opinion of this Government he had not been able to establish either a political or military organization which entitled him to the recognition he asked and that it would not be granted. Secretary Gresham added that the position of the United States in the present controversy in Brazil was that of an impartial observer.

It can be stated on the highest authority that there is no foundation whatever for the published story that the English Government through its ambassador at Washington has urged the United States to exert its influence between the conflicting elements in Brazil in order to bring to a speedy end the internal strife which is now in progress there.

The recognition of Admiral Mello as a belligerent, it is explained, would give his pretensions a standing before the nations of the world similar to that accorded the Confederate States by England and France in 1861, when by proclamation of the Governments of these countries a state of war between the United States and the seceded States was declared to exist.

The policy of the United States in cases of this kind is that laid down by Monroe in regard to revolts in the Spanish Republics, that "as soon as the revolutionary movement assumes such a steady and consistent form as to make its success probable, the rights (of belligerents) to which they are entitled by the law of nations as equal parties to a civil war, will be extended to them."

In Mello's case this recognition would announce that he might interfere with neutral commerce within certain limits, it would warn citizens of the United States against unlawful assistance of either party to the struggle, and would take away from the United States the right to complain of the effects of the war between the belligerents on their trade in the ports of the country at war.

WITH SHOT AND SHELL.

Ships and Forts Keep Up the Fight in Rio Pay.

BUENOS AYRES, Argentina, Nov. 10.—The bombarding of Rio has kept up since it was renewed on Tuesday last. The correspondent of the WORLD and POST-DISPATCH learns from a reliable source that the Government fort at Nictheroy was fired upon and sunk yesterday. One of the insurgent Admiral Mello's torpedo boats, near Nictheroy and Fort Villegagnon, have been much damaged by shells. Although various explanations have been made to account for the explosion of the powder magazine on Governor's Island, the real cause is wrapped in mystery. Mello's guards, unless there was a traitor among them, would not have fired it purposely. The bottom falls out of the story that Peixoto's men were on duty there and, acting under orders blew it up on seeing the English sailors land, mistaking them for Mello's men, because it was an insurgent magazine. The most plausible explanation advanced, fortified too by Mello's charge that the Government was responsible, is that some of Peixoto's gunners seeing the British sailors land on Governor's Island thought they were a detachment of Mello's marines after powder and launched at the magazine a shell, which by chance slipped inside and ignited the vast store of powder.

The explosion was terrific, in fact there was a succession of violent shocks and every reminder of a furious volcanic eruption. The ground about the harbor heaved and trembled for hours, while immense volumes of flame and smoke shot up into the clouds. The detonation was heard for miles. Great damage was done in the city of Rio, especially in the way of shattered doors, windows and skylights.

This magazine was the principal storehouse of ammunition for the fleet. The loss is felt all the more because four of their magazines have been blown up within a week.

Late in the afternoon of the same day there was heavy cannonading between Fort Villegagnon and the loyal forts lasting three hours. The canonading was continued into the night, though the aim of the gunners being bad little execution was done, most of the shots going wide of their targets.

PEIXOTO'S WARSHIPS.

The El Cid, Britannia and the Destroyer Soon to Sail.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—The work of fitting out the auxilliary fleet, by the aid of which President Peixoto hopes to end the rebellion against the authority in Brazil proceeds rapidly. The expectation is that the El Cid and Britannia with their torpedo boats, will be able to sail some day next week, possibly Tuesday. It is a formidable squadron.

El Cid, will carry eight division officers, most of them graduates of the Naval Academy at Annapolis. She will carry more guns than originally stipulated. Her battery, as now decided upon, will be as follows:

One 15-inch dynamite gun on the bow on the center line of the ship; on the broad of each bow, one 4-inch 33-pounder Hotchkiss rapid-fire gun; just forward of the after wheelhouse and on the fore and aft center line of the ship, one 4.7-inch Hotchkiss rapid-fire gun; on top of the pilot-house, mounted one on each side of the house, two 37-millimeter Hotchkiss revolving cannon; on top of the main deck house, mounted in broadside, four long 1-pounder Hotchkiss rapid-fire guns; on each broadside of spar deck, and about amidships, one 1-pounder Hotchkiss gun; on the orlop deck, being on El Cid the deck next below the spar deck, four torpedo ports for the operation of Hotchkiss automobile torpedoes, these torpedo ports being placed on abaft the broad of each bow and one forward of the broad of each quarter, and on the main deck eight 6-pound Hotchkiss rapid-fire guns, mounted in broadside, four guns on each side of the deck. The cargo ports of El Cid have been utilized for positions for the 6-pounder guns. When cruising at sea these cargo ports will be kept closed and the 6-pounder guns will be secured in a fore and aft position.

Two fourteen-pound Hotchkiss rapid-fire guns which were intended to be carried on El Cid have been given to the battery of the Britannia. They will be mounted amidships. Here is a description of her battery:

Two 4.7-inch rapid-fire Hotchkiss guns, one mounted in pivot on the forcastle deck, abaft the forward deck-house, which will be torn down to give the gun a direct-ahead fire, and the other on the spar deck, where the after-deck house, which is to be torn down, now stands; two 14-pounder Hotchkiss guns, one each broadside and at position in the waist of the ship; eight 6-pounder rapid-fire Hotchkiss guns, mounted in broadside, four on each side of the ship, two of them to be forward and two abaft of each fourteen-pounder gun, and eight one-pounder rapid-fire guns mounted in broadside on the main deck house. The Britannia will carry four Hotchkiss torpedo tubes, to be operated on the main deck. Ports through which to fire will be cut in the hull on a line with the main deck.

It is calculated that the crew of the Britannia will number nearly 175. The greatest care is being exercised to ship only desirable men. El Cid and the Britannia will together require, it is calculated, over 400 men. Outside the engineers' departments the most important positions in the ships are those held by the gun captains. Tempting wages are being paid to men who have seen service on board of United States war ships. None but trained gun captains will be engaged.

The other important ship of the Squadron, the Destroyer, carries a torpedo gun in her bow which throws a projectile weighing 1,500 pounds with an explosive charge of 800 pounds of gun cotton. The gun is submerged eight feet below the water line.

VASQUEZ MUST EXPLAIN.

The Honduran President Denies Responsibility for the Amapala Outrage.

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras, Nov. 10.—The Honduran capital is intensely excited over a rumor that the United States Government is about to declare war against Honduras for the outrage committed at Amapala last Saturday in firing upon the Pacific Mail steamer, Costa Rica.

To the correspondent of the WORLD and POST-DISPATCH President Vasquez denies his responsibility for the insult to the American flag. He said:

"I ordered commandant at Amapala, Col. Villela, to secure the arrest of Gen. Policarpo Bonilla who, I was informed, had taken refuge on the steamer Costa Rica, by legal means. Col. Villela exceeded his authority if, as reported, he ordered his gunners to fire on a United States steamer. This Government does not sustain his action, and he has been summoned to the capital to explain his conduct."

The correspondent is also informed that steps have already been taken to ask for the extradition of Bonilla from Guatemala. An official request has been made on Guatemala and Nicaragua not to allow renegade Hondurans to conspire on their territory.

In regard to the rumors as to the intention of the Washington Government to declare war on Honduras, it is reported in Tegucigalpa that in the event of hostilities the United States will make Nicaragua their ally, and that Nicaraguan troops are now being concentrated on the Honduran frontier.

DEMAND AN EXPLANATION.

LA LIBERTAD, Nov. 10.—Officers of United States warship Alliance have taken the testimony of officers and passengers of the steamer Costa Rica regarding the firing on that vessel by the Hondurans while flying the American flag because her Captain refused to surrender Bonilla.

Minister Young, who is on board the Alliance, and represents the United States in Honduras, will proceed at once to Tegucigalpa and demand an explanation of President Vasquez. He will be accompanied by Minister Baker, United States Representative to Nicaragua, who was a passenger on the Costa Rica at the time she was fired upon at Amapala.

ALLEGES ADULTERY.

William P. Raboteau, the Druggist, Sued For Divorce by His Wife.

William P. Roboteau, a member of the well-known family of druggists, was to-day served with papers for a divorce instituted by his wife, Mary G. Roboteau, who is now in Chicago.

The petition states that the couple were married in New York on Jan. 6, 1890, and lived together until July 1, 1891. Mrs. Raboteau claims that her married life was marred by the defendant, whom she accuses of being an habitual drunkard. She claims that he has been drunk for the past year. She also charges adultery during the months of January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September and October of the current year, stating that he is continually in the company of a woman named Tillie, whose last name is unknown, but who is known among her associates, the petition alleges, as Tillie Raboteau. Mrs. Raboteau asks the court for alimony and maintenance during the pending of the suit; also to give her judgment for costs and the fees for her counsel, claiming she is destitute and that the defendant is in receipt of $50 per week from his business and the possessor of $1,000 personal property. She asks the restoration of her maiden name, Mary G. Landon, and whatever other relief the court pleases to grant.

C. H. HARRIS PARDONED.

Cleveland's Suggestions to Judges and Attorneys.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 10.—The President to-day pardoned Clarence H. Harris, formerly cashier of the National Bank of Dubuque, Io., convicted of falsifying reports to the Comptroller. He pleaded guilty and the sentence was suspended. The petition was based on the alleged trust placed by Harris in the word of the President of the bank. President Cleveland takes occasion to say:

"If judges and district attorneys think persons indicted ought not to be punished, the indictments had better be abandoned by them instead of bringing about a conviction and immediately following it with a request for pardon."

FRANK CROSBY ARRESTED.

He Was Taken Into Custody by the Madison County (Ill.) Authorities.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Nov. 10.—Frank Crosby, who was to meet Sharpe before the Avondale Athletic Club of Kansas City, Kan., was arrested to-day by the Sheriff of Madison County, Ill., on account of the first fight between Sharpe and Crosby, which took place in Illinois. Crosby was carried to jail in irons and will be taken to Edwardsville to-night.

IN BAD ROLES.

Warrants for Fake Actors Dougherty and Florence.

Are Charged With Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses.

THE TWO FRAUDS EXPOSED BY THE POST-DISPATCH STILL IN JAIL.

Pat O'Connor, Whom They Engaged to Do Irish Comedy Parts, Files Information Against Them—Florence's Real Name Is Frank Helgoth—Dr. Allmeroth's Statement.

Warrants on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses were issued this morning against E. J. Dougherty, alias "Hughey" Dougherty and Frank Helgoth, alias Frank Florence, the two fake theatrical promoters whose peculiar transactions were exposed in yesterday's POST-DISPATCH. The information was sworn out by Pat O'Connor of 715 Carroll street, whose ambition to shine as an Irish comedian induced him to part with $2 at the earnest solicitation of the two smooth gentlemen aforesaid.

The warrants issued by the assistant Prosecuting Attorney are based upon the representations made by the prisoners by which they secured O'Connor's money. These were that Dougherty claimed to be the original Hughey Dougherty of Thatcher's Minstrel fame and that Frank Helgoth represented himself as Frank Florence, a cousin of "Billy" Florence, the great comedian, and that they alleged that they were to give a performance at the Park Theater, Carondelet, a theater which has no existence.

"Frank Florence."

O'Connor has never been before the footlights in his life, but in his heart he felt a yearning longing to tread the boards before an admiring multitude. Apart from this he is a very intelligent youth, apparently about 22 years of age. He has not the appearance of an "easy mark," and looks almost the last person in the world to be taken in by such an obvious imposition. He candidly admits that he was played as a green hand, and now that the secret has been exposed is more than anxious to get revenge.

O'CONNOR'S STATEMENT.

"I own I was a 'jay' to be taken in by those fellows," he said, "and at the time I had a strong suspicion that they were frauds. I am not at all surprised to have my suspicions confirmed. The thing which most deceived me was the connection of Dr. Allmeroth with the company. I saw his diploma in their office and supposed him to be a reputable physician, and that he would not be at the back of any confidence game. It was just this fact which decided me to invest the small amount asked. Dougherty and Florence did not impress me favorably. Their appearance is against them, and had they been alone in the scheme I should certainly have had nothing to do with it. Both were too battered and seedy in appearance to inspire much confidence in even the most credulous."

"Hughey" Dougherty.

"There was another circumstance which might have made me sure that they were faksrs had I given the matter much thought and that is the peculiar manner they had of engaging people. When I went to see them there were six or eight people in the parlor. I waited my turn and when examined by Dougherty was not asked as to my capabilities. He merely asked me my name and address, if I was an amateur or a professional and what I could do. I told him I had had no experience to speak of and after a few more immaterial questions he told me to come again the next day, when he sprung the contract and $2 scheme on me. I took it up, but at the time I thought it funny that a $2 deposit was all that was necessary to become an actor."

When O'Connor made his application for a warrant to Mr. Estep he was accompanied by John Eckhoff of 713 North Compton avenue and Edgar P. Wheeler of 3109 Chestnut street two would-be actors who bit at the same bait but who, owing to the prevailing stringency, had not parted with any cash. They had signed the contract and would have paid over their $2, yesterday had not the police taken a hand. To these embryotic Booths and Keanes Dougherty disclosed the fact that he had rented the Park Theater, Carondelet, in which to give two performances, one a week from next Saturday evening and the other on Christmas Eve. After reading the expose in yesterday's POST-DISPATCH these gentlemen did a little investigating on their own account, and as a result say that the hall in question long since ceased to do duty as a place of amusement, having been transformed into a laundry.

SOME LADY VICTIMS.

Messrs. Dougherty and Florence had several ladies on their list upon whose credulity and ambitions they also played. One of these was Miss Rollins of 1908½ Olive street. Miss Rollins is a trim little brunette, and in a fit of confidence Dougherty imparted to her his conviction, based upon his great experience in theatrical matters, that she would make an excellent soubrette, in fact she was just the person he wanted to fill one of the important parts in the cast. Her success was assured in spite of the fact that she had not had the slightest experience. She was to call again yesterday and fix the little preliminaries of signing the remarkable contract leaving the remuneration for her services to the generosity of the management and paying over the $2 initiation fee into the mysteries of "behind the scenes." Before these preliminaries could be completed the ruthless hand of the law had stepped in and placed the "promoters" behind the bars.

Dougherty and Florence now claim that they had decided to abandon their first intention of playing "True Irish Hearts" and had decided to put on a first class variety show. O'Connor they claim was to have given a "black-face act" with a song and dance. Their programme was to give a performance followed by a dance in some of the smaller halls. The profits from the venture they claim would principally come from the commission, the proprietor of the hall would be willing to pay on each barrel of beer sold. The $2 security money, collected from less than a dozen persons, they allege, would be amply sufficient to cover the rent of hall, the hire of orchestra, advertising expenses and the hire of costumes, in fact, all necessary expenses. In view of the fact that neither of the prisoners had any money upon them when arrested, it is safe to say that it would also have had to pay their living expenses until the profits from the enterprise began to flow into their coffers.

DR. ALLMEROTH'S STATEMENT.

Dr. Allmeroth, who permitted Dougherty and Florence to use his office, said to-day:

"I did not grant them this privilege until after they had placed the advertisement in the paper requesting applicants to call there. I thought it looked suspicious that they should advertise this without my permission, but as long as they assured me it was all right I let them have the office. I have known Florence about a year and a half. I have attended him professionally and am his family's physician. Dougherty, I met some four or five weeks ago, through a variety actor named Gibson. Gibson told me that Dougherty was an actor and Dougherty himself told me the same thing. Florence has often told me too that he himself was an actor. That is all I know about them as actors. I was not to be Treasurer of the company, but they were to put all money received from the applicants in my hands as security to those persons. I never, however, received any of the funds. They pocketed whatever they took in. I am very sorry, now that I permitted myself to be connected with the affair in any way."

NIPPED IN THE BUB.

The lively investigation made by the POST-DISPATCH appears to have, to a great extent, nipped the slick scheme put up by Messrs. Allmeroth, Dougherty and Florence in the bud. It appears that their harvest of dollars was not quite as plentiful as might be supposed. Their plans were well laid, however, and from memoranda found in Dougherty's possession they would have made quite a sizable haul had they been given a few more days in which to work.

Upon Dougherty when searched was found a list of a dozen or more names and addresses, apparently those of persons who were anxious to enter dramatic ranks, but who lacked the $2 or more initiation fee or deposit which was exacted in every case. In each instance a marginal note sets forth the fact that the applicant had promised to come round with the needful cash at some future specified date. Several of the notes show that a number of persons were to make this payment yesterday. If they did call with the money they had a lucky escape for Dougherty and Florence were not there to receive it. Instead of raking in the nimble dollars they were cursing their hard luck in cells at the Four Courts.

Dr. Edward Allmeroth, whose office at 981 Rutger street was used by the fakirs, and who posed as the financial backer and treasurer of the mythical troupe, says that he has only known Dougherty three or four weeks. Dougherty says two weeks. "Florence," however, has been washing bottles and taking care of the doctor's horse for nearly a year. It is more than probable that the doctor knew his factotum too well to back him for any considerable amount in his Thespian venture. The doctor was to have the handling of all moneys received from any source. Up to now he claims he has not seen a cent. His name appears to have been used to give a certain stability to the organization. The detectives yesterday questioned him closely, and at last decided to give him the benefit of the doubt as to being unconsciously a party to the fraud.

"FLORENCE" WAS A STAGE NAME.

Frank Florence's true name is Frank Helgoth, and he lives at 2021 South Broadway. To the police he yesterday explained that Florence was his theatrical nom de plume, and that his claim to relationship with "Billy" Florence, the dead comedian, was in the nature of a joke. He has yet to make his initial appearance before an admiring public. Dougherty hails from Elgin, Ill., and rooms at 2000 Morgan street. He is married but is not living with his wife.

MERCHANDISE FRAUDS.

At Least 150 Firms Swindled by a Liverpool Gang.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 10.—Four men named Selar, Weldon, Preston and Evans and two women named Selar and Poole, have been arrested here charged with being concerned in gigantic frauds perpetrated upon manufacturers and others. The prisoners claimed to be doing business under two firm names—Selar, Weldon & Co., and J. C. Preston & Co., both said to be "American merchants and exporters." By means of mutual references the people referred to are said to have secured goods from 150 firms under the pretense that the goods were intended for the American market. The merchandise secured is said to be of every variety and to be worth thousands of pounds. It was all pawned in Liverpool or sold by auction in other towns.

Case Against Fernow Dismissed.

The case of J. A. Fernow, the druggist on Broadway and Chestnut streets, who was arrested some days ago charged with retailing liquor without a license, in violation of the excise law, was nolle prossed in the Court of Criminal Correction this morning.

SEA AND FLAME

Perils Encountered by the Crew of a Burning Vessel.

Details of the Destruction by Fire of the City of Alexandria.

FIVE OF THE CREW AND SIX STEVEDORES WERE LOST.

Capt. Hoffman's Story of the Disaster—Caused by an Explosion on Board Ship—Flames Leaped Up and the Steamer Was at Once a Mass of Flames—A Night of Death and Suffering.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—The steamer Seneca, which arrived this morning from Havana, brings Capt. Hoffman and fifty-six survivors of the ill-fated steamer City of Alexandria. Five of the ship's crew and six colored stevedores were lost. Capt. Hoffman states that they sailed for Matanzas Nov. 1, at 5:30 p. m., with a strong north-northeast wind and a rough sea. All went well until about 5:40 p. m., when Capt. Hoffman was having his tea in the cabin. Suddenly an explosion took place. Capt. Hoffman rushed on deck immediately and found the ship a mass of flames fore and aft.

All hands were called to quarters. The fire hose was got ready and an attempt was made to subdue the flames. It was soon apparent that the ship was doomed.

The utmost discipline prevailed among the crew. The boats and life raft were ordered to be lowered. Five boats were lowered in charge of the officers, purser and chief engineer. The purser's boat, while being embarked from the falls, got entangled in some gear and was swamped alongside the steamer. The purser and four others were lost. The remainder were picked up by the other boats.

The force of the explosion was so terrific that the fore hatchway was blown clean into the water. Some of the colored stevedores were blown overboard with it.

The steamboat kept going ahead until 9 p. m., making some fifteen miles, when the firemen were compelled to abandon the fireroom, and the steamer was beached on Juricka Shoal, thirteen miles from Havana. The vessel is a total loss.

Capt. Hoffman and six others, who took to life-boats, were all washed off by the heavy sea, but all managed to get back again, excepting William Foster, an oiler, who was drowned.

Capt. Hoffman states that the best of discipline prevailed after the explosion, every man obeying orders and going to his post in the coolest possible manner. There was no rush to get into the life-boats. The following are the names of the crew who were lost:

W. B. BOWEN, purser.
WM. FOSTER, oiler.
GEORGE SMITH, waiter.
LOUIS BLOCH, waiter.
THOMAS LINDEN, quartermaster.

M. COLE, a cadet, was left behind at Havana sick.

Capt. Hoffman, on being questioned as to the cause of the explosion, did not care to give any opinion, pending his official report to the manager of the line. It was surmised that it may have been caused by the exploding of the rum, a part of the cargo which was to be landed at Havana.

Deputy United States Marshals Grant and Solomon boarded the Seneca at Quarantine with warrants from United States Commissioner Shields for the arrest of five firemen, charged with stealing a part of the ship's cargo on the passage to Havana.

A WATERY GRAVE.

A Barge Crowded With Laborers Run Down at Bilboa in Spain.

BILBAO, Nov. 10.—A steamer belonging to the same line as the dynamite laden craft which caused the disaster at Sant Ander, collided with and sunk a barge crowded with workmen last night.

It is claimed that the steamer did not carry any lights and that she did not stop after the collision. Most of the workmen thrown into the water from the barge were rescued in an almost lifeless condition by the people who witnessed the disaster from the shore.

Many of the unfortunate passengers, however, of the barge were drowned in spite of the efforts made to rescue them.

FOUR PERSONS KILLED.

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 10.—Four persons were killed last night by a head-end collision on the Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo railroad, twenty-seven miles south of here. They were Engineer L. H. Jones and his son, who was fireman, Richard Kerlin, engineer, and James E. Bresch, express messenger. Engineer Kerlin, on a northbound freight, had orders to stop at Rising Sun Station, but disobeyed them, and proceeded towards Toledo. Passenger train No. 36, with three coaches, was southbound, and expected to meet the freight at Rising Sun. The collision occurred one mile north of Rising Sun. Fortunately none of the passengers were seriously injured, though both engines were badly wrecked.

DEAD MEN IDENTIFIED.

DECATUR, Ill., Nov. 10.—William Hill and Charles Ellis, both members of the Decatur Guards, are the two young men killed on the Missouri Pacific road near Jefferson City, Mo. They were on their way home from the Minnesota harvest fields, where they had been working.

POISONED BY CHICKEN BONES.

SEDALIA, Mo., Nov. 10.—While Mrs. James Stewart was picking a chicken a few days ago a broken bone penetrated her finger, and now her life is despaired of, blood-poisoning having set in.

THAT COPPER COMBINE.

London Firms Deny Its Existence—Foreign Affairs.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—Interviews with the leading firms interested in the copper trade show that they join in denying the existence of the reported copper syndicate, and point to the fact that any combination between the Rothschilds and Lewisohn is impossible, as the only man of that name who is connected with copper failed a few months ago. Another instance of the fact that there is no manipulation of copper by a syndicate is shown in the many quotations which in no way indicate the workings of a combination.

NEW TARIFFS.

Speculation as to the Effect of the Recent Elections.

Views of Chairman Wilson of the Ways and Means Committee.

REPUBLICAN VICTORIES WILL NOT CHANGE DEMOCRATIC POLICY.

On the Contrary, He Believes the Passage of the Revenue Measures Being Formulated by His Committee Will Place the Party on the Pedestal of Political Supremacy—His Views Not Universally Shared, However—Capitol Affairs.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 10.—It is difficult to predict what effect the recent elections will have on the tariff bill now being formulated by the Democratic majority of the Ways and Means Committee, but the utterances of Chairman Wilson indicate that the result will have little weight in changing the policy of the party leaders. Indeed, Mr. Wilson rather confidently predicts that the passage of the very measures being prepared by himself and his colleagues will be the only thing needful to restore public confidence and replace the Democratic party on the pedestal of political supremacy.

But the opinion of Mr. Wilson is not shared by all the other prominent men in his party. In fact, there are indications that the result of Tuesday's elections will impel several Democratic leaders of national reputation to counsel the Ways and Means majority to moderation and warmly discourage the radical legislation that the free trade wing of the party has been so warmly urging.

There has always been a strong Democratic faction in the House of Representatives opposed to any considerable extension of the free list or sweeping reductions of tariff rates, but the overwhelming majority received by the Democratic party in the elections a year ago effectually hushed this element up to this time. Now, however, that the popular expression seems suddenly to have changed, the protectionist wing of the party has taken heart again and will certainly make itself heard in council.

It has been quite generally believed that the bill to be reported by the Ways and Means Committee will enlarge the free list by removing the duty on wool, lumber, iron ore, coal and salt. Already the Democratic opposition to this policy has become so apparent as to demonstrate much truth in the famous characterization of Hancock that declared the tariff question to be largely a local issue. The main opposition to free wool comes from one locality, the objection to free lumber from another, the opposition to free coal from still another, and so on through the entire list of articles sought to be added to the free list. It is natural, therefore, that the desire for a Democratic caucus should be expressed by the malcontents, and it is this desire that is just now creating some commotion in the ranks of the radical tariff reformers.

The request for a caucus has been made by so eminent a leader as Judge Culberson, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, and even Congressman Bland, of Missouri, is credited with the determination to fight the committee recommendations if they place all the articles enumerated above on the free list.

In speaking of the progress being made by the committee Congressman Whiting, of Michigan, to-day said:

"The committee is getting along well and I think there is no doubt the bill will be ready for presentation at the opening of the session in December. It is my opinion that there should be no delay in presenting this bill and passing it through Congress in order that the people may have an early opportunity to judge of its practical operation. Yes, there has been a desire expressed by a number of Democratic Congressmen for a caucus to discuss and approve the bill before it is presented in December, but whether this desire will become so general as to necessitate a caucus, I can not say. The most important thing, I think, is to get the bill before the House, and I also think the result of the recent election should enjoin us to caution. While I do not agree with President Cleveland in everything, I do agree in the opinion credited to him that the tariff should be of that moderate yet firm and judicial character that will commend us to the people without obliterating or hopelessly embarrassing any existing industries. I do not think the free list should be greatly enlarged and I do not think the platform of our party demands that such radical reductions on manufactured articles should be made as will cripple or close American factories. A gradual and consistent reduction all along the line is what I favor and I think every Democratic member of Congress who does not have some industry appealing to him for protection thinks so. If everyone of these gentlemen insist that his district must be protected and the tariff reductions made at the expense of some other man's constituents and on some other articles, where will we be? This is a great mutual enterprise we are engaged in now and we must all be mutual, co-operative and reasonable if the principles of the party are to be carried to success.

"On the other hand, the party must not be dominated by the free trade sentiment that we frequently hear expressed by tariff reform theorists. The Republicans pledged themselves irretrievably for protected trust and met disaster for passing a bill that carried protection to a degree that incurred the prompt disapproval of the American public. We must not accept this disapproval as an expression for free trade, and the mistake that Mr. McKinley made in one extreme we must not make in the other. If we do we will find that the people are no longer behind us. Theory is one thing and the practical workings of a law another, and it is the practical side of the question with which we now have to deal. We must pass a law that, while redeeming the party pledges, will be firm, nonsectional, logical and equitable and consistent alike in its reductions and benefits."

THREE OPINIONS

Regarding the Results of Tuesday's State Elections.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—The following responses to requests by the POST-DISPATCH correspondent have been received from three prominent men, giving their opinion on Tuesday's elections:

Editor Clark Howell of Atlanta says: "The general result furnishes conclusive evidence that the Administration in power must give some better evidence than that already offered that it proposes to carry out its pledges for relief if it expects to hold the public confidence."

W. R. Hurst of the San Francisco *Examiner* wires: "It is a year since Cleveland was elected on a revenue tariff platform and the McKinley law remains unrepealed. A great leader told the Democracy in its dark days party that when the Democratic party had the courage to be Democratic it would win victories. Unless the promises of the Chicago platform are fulfilled without further delay the Democratic party will be retired from power."

Ex-Senator Thomas C. Platte of New York says: "Were I asked who are responsible for Tuesday's landslide I should say the people, and God Almighty was the boss. Providence was surely with us this time, and when Providence is with us all the Hills and Murphys and Sheehans and McLaughlins and Crokers and McKans in creation cannot defeat us."

MYERS TO GARY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 10.—F. N. Myers, Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, has sent the following telegram to Judge Gary at Chicago:

Your election is renewed evidence that the American people want a fearless judiciary and that in this country there shall be no place for Anarchists or those opposed to the ideas of our American Government.

DARING ROBBERS.

Three of Them Lock Five Men in a Grocery and Rob the Drawer.

The robbery committed at the grocery of John Gerau, corner of Barton and Tenth streets, shortly after dark last night was one of the most daring that has ever taken place in St. Louis. Three masked men entered the store in which five men were at the time, locked the front door to prevent anyone from escaping and then two of them kept the party covered with revolvers, while the third relieved the cash drawer of the $15 it contained. No one noticed the intruders until they were inside, had the front door locked and their guns levelled on the crowd. The proprietor, his two brothers, a clerk and a friend, who were in the store, were all unarmed and could do nothing but quietly submit. Mr. Gerau and his brother Fred were behind the counter, and leaning over making some figures on wrapping paper, the clerk was busy about the store, and the two other men were sitting in a small back room used as a kitchen and eating room. The robbers stepped in, and, after coolly locking the front door, took their stations for business. One of them covered the two brothers behind the counter, another stood in the kitchen door and the third took care of the clerk until he was ushered into the kitchen, and he then turned his attention to the cash-drawer. Not satisfied with that he went through the pockets of Fred Gerau, who was behind the counter, but failed to get anything, as he didn't dive deep enough. He then made a grab for the watch of John Gerau, who drew back and said: "No you don't; ain't you satisfied with what you've got?" With that the man at the kitchen door sang out "Run him in here and we'll fix him," and suiting the action to the word came to help run him in. But he had shut the door to keep the other fellows in, and as soon as the men in the kitchen were relieved from the robber's gun one of them jumped from the window and gave the alarm. The robbers heard it and made their escape. They ran north on Tenth street to Lami, then west till one by one they were lost to two of the men who pursued them.

It was a cool piece of business to say the least. The windows of the store were not closed, so that passers by could not help being attracted to the scene within of masked men with guns drawn and others with their hands up. The men were of a tough aspect, wearing greasy-looking clothes and had their faces covered with very dirty red bandanas and tattered hats slouched down over their eyes. There was nothing by which they could be identified except that one had a mark over his left eye and another in wiping his mouth showed a very light colored mustache.

Two suspicious looking characters have been seen in the neighborhood early in the morning several times this week, by the clerk in Snettlers' store on the corner of Lami and Tenth streets, and it is thought they were two of last night's gang. The clerk said that he could not identify them, however, as it was about 5:30 in the morning each time when he saw them.

VOUCHER INVESTIGATION.

The Ryan Committee Resumes Work This Morning.

The Ryan Investigating Committee resumed its session this morning at 10:30 o'clock in the committee room of the House of Delegates. The first witness called was the City Treasuer, Mr. Charles Scudder.

Mr. Scudder testified that when the voucher was brought to him he took it to the City Counselor and was informed by him that under the ordinance the City Treasurer could pay the voucher when it was signed by the Mayor and Comptroller. The Auditor's name was not on the voucher. Witness understood that he refused to sign it.

Mr. Scudder's attention was called to the section of the charter which provides that no money shall be paid out of the City Treasury except on the warrant of the Auditor.

"I knew of that provision, and for that reason consulted the City Counselor. I was between two fires, and so sought legal advice."

It was the only time, he said, he had paid a voucher of that kind. City Counselor Marshall was next called and stated how he came to give the various legal opinions in connection with this voucher.

Mr. Marshall thought that the entire controversy grew out of the continual clash that has existed for years between the Building Commissioners and President of the Board of Public Improvements. The former is not a charter office, and in his opinion there would continue to be a clash so long as the present ordinance defining the duties of the Building Commissioner remains in effect. He thought the Building Commissioner was a nonentity—a mere clerk in the office of the President of the Board of Public Improvements. He then in a very elaborate manner excused the delay of the board in not doing the work under the ordinance, on the ground that they could not get a bid. It was shown Mr. Marshall that they did have a bid within the limit and rejected it.

It was also shown that the board rejected the plans of the Building Commissioner for a direct system, and had others prepared which could not be used, because the systems proposed were too expensive, and would exceed the appropriation.

Mayor Walbridge was next examined, and said his attention was called to the voucher by the Board of Public Improvements. He called for a consultation, saw that there was a disagreement between the Comptroller and Auditor, learned that he had authority to sign it and did it.

He had no official notification that there was a disagreement between these officials. He was informed indirectly that the Auditor would not sign it.

The committee has about concluded the investigation and will make a report to the House at its next meeting.

STILL AT WORK.

Senator George Still Investigating the Condition of the Cotton Market.

Senator George of Mississippi, a member of the sub-committee of the main Committee of Agriculture, appointed to gather statistics pertaining to the consumption and production of cotton and especially to ascertain the cause of the fall in prices, is still conducting his investigation and inquiry at the Cotton Exchange. The result of the examination will not be made public until the next session of Congress, when tee report will be submitted to the Sentae. To a POST-DISPATCH reporter Congressman George said:

"This committe is acting under orders of the Senate, and is required to make examinations or investigations in all the principal cities of the United States for the sole purpose of ascertaining the reason for the present depression of the cotton market. We do not propose to confine our investigations to the cotton brokers, but have addressed circular letters to all cotton producers asking their opinion, all of which will be embodied in the committee's report. We have made a number of investigations, but as yet we are not prepared to express an opinion, nor will we until the official report is submitted to the Senate."

Missourians at New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—Hotel arrivals from St. Louis: G. J. Kobusch, Holland; M. C. Wetmore, J. T. Drummond, C. T. Bowman, Astor House; G. McKnight, C. Conrad, Gilsey House; Miss E. Moffitt, Albemarle; A. Jungk, E. C. Moulton, Hotel Imperial.

TO-MORROW'S GAME.

The Pastime and Illinois Foot Ball Elevens Will Meet.

A FIERCE STRUGGLE FOR GOALS AND TOUCH-DOWNS LOOKED FOR.

How the Teams Will Line Up—J. D. Patton Concludes to Retire His Great Race Mare Ethel Gray—Local Cycle and Aquatic News — Sporting News and Notes.

To-morrow afternoon's game at new Sportsman's Park between the Pastime team of this city and the University of Illinois eleven from Champaign, will mark the opening of the Rugby foot ball season here. From all indications it will be one of the most desperate and hotly-contested struggles seen here for a long time. The Champaign boys played here last year and downed the local favorites. This year the Pastimes are out for revenge. They have gotten together an unusually strong aggregation including a number of ex-Eastern college men. The team is also heavier than ever before the average weight being nearly 165 pounds. Champaign's players on the other hand, only top the scales on an average of 152½ pounds apiece. With their superior weight and their knowledge of the fine points of the game, the Pastimes expect to win, although they know they must struggle to do so. Champaign is playing a strong game just now. The team, as will be seen below, includes several of last year's players, among them being Gant, the great center. Munson is not in condition to play and Brooks will officiate at center for the Pastimes. To-morrow's game promises to be well attended by the better element of the lovers of athletic sports. Foot ball is daily becoming more popular here, and, although there will not be as many spectators as there were at the Princeton-Pennsylvania game last week, with fine weather a large crowd is looked for. The visitors arrive to-morrow morning n charge of Manager T. H. Cornell. The teams will line up promptly at 3 o'clock as follows:

Pastimes.	Positions.	University of Illinois of Champaign.
B. Walker, 158	Left End	Atherton
B. Thompson, 178	Left Tackle	Peffer
M. Powers, 187	Left Guard	Sweeney
W. Brooks, 188	Center	Gant
W. Trimble, 197	Right Guard	McCormick
H. Leonard, 153	Right Tackle	Tackets
G. Cabanne, 155	Right Guard	Cooper
F. Harney, 157	Quarter Back	Woody
D. Cabanne, 170	Right Half Back	Wright
F. Scullin, 175	Left Half Back	Baum
J. Whitteman, 178	Full Back	Hart

The Pastimes can afford to have several men injured and play just as good a game as they have five elegant substitutes in Al Terry, Bob McDonald, Jim Massa, Al Aloe and Mark Ewing.

ANOTHER JOCKEY KILLED.

The Leading Steeplechase Rider of France Is No More.

PARIS, Nov. 10.—The leading steeplechase jockey of France, Powell, was killed at Auteuil yesterday. He was riding the horse Wisigoth and the animal fell. When the horse regained its feet and bounded away Powell's foot still remained in the stirrup and he was dragged a distance of 400 yards before the horse was stopped. When Powell was picked up it was found that he was horribly mutilated.

LAFLECHE WON THE LIVERPOOL CUP.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—The Liverpool cup was won by La Fleche, Prisoner second and Quistum third.

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The initiatory steps looking toward the formation of a national jockey club were taken by the Western Turf Congress, which is now in session at Cincinnati, yesterday. The President was authorized to open correspondence with the racing officials of other reputable tracks not in the congress with the object of forming a national jockey club. There was a long and heated discussion about the selection of dates for the different meetings of the racing clubs represented at the Congress. An effort was made to agree to a list of dates that would not conflict. A schedule was informally agreed on that is free from any conflict except in the case of Latonia and St. Louis. The question of reducing the purses and handicaps was also discussed informally. Two new members to the congress were elected. They are Bob Pate's American-Mexican Blood Horse Association of the City of Mexico and the Little Rock Club. A new rule was enacted that in case of a public trainer starting more than one horse in any purse or stake race belonging to different parties, such trainer shall instruct the jockeys riding such horses in the presence of the judges.

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San Francisco papers are wildly clamoring for a four-cornered contest among Rudolph, Morello, Flambeau and Racine, and it may be that such a race will be arranged at the Bay District track. In the East the proposition to race Racine and Flambeau against Rudolph and Morello would be laughed at, but it is not certain that the California horses do not race better at home than they do on this side of the mountains. Thus far in the history of the Bay District meeting the fast work has all been done by the California horses, although they have had little to compete against.

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Neuralgia, a 2-year-old-colt, by Sir Modred—Allanah, died in Chicago the other day. He was owned by W. L. Hamersley, but was trained by Eugene Leigh. The colt won three out of the five races in which he started, but never recovered from the effects of being cut down in his last race at the Elizabeth spring meeting. The wound did not heal and "proud flesh" was forming, the ultimate cause of death being blood poisoning. Neuralgia gave promise of developing into a good class horse.

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J. D. Patton, the well-known local turfman, has concluded to retire his consistent race mare, Ethel Gray, 5 years old, by the Duke of Kent, dam Goldbug. She has run her last race and Mr. Patton says that he will now take her to his own breeding establishment in this State. Ethel Gray has been one of the very best race mares on the Western circuit since the days when Ed Corrigan raced Modesty and Pearl Jennings.

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It is said that Fred Taral will ride for Gottfried Gottlieb Walbaum next season. This is hardly true, Walbaum's stable not warranting him in paying for the exclusive services of Taral. He may, however, secure second call on this popular jockey.

WAR AMONG WHEELMEN.

The Opposition to Chief Consul Holm Explained by W. P. Laing.

Speaking of the interview printed in last night's POST-DISPATCH with Chief Consul Robert Holm of the L. A. W., Missouri Division, W. P. Laing, who is at the head of the opposition to Mr. Holm's re-election, said:

"I see where Chief Consul Holm states he began work against the street sprinkling nuisance, four years before Davis thought of riding. Now it certainly speaks well for Davis that he was able to secure in one year, what the Chief Consul tried to do ineffectually for four years previous. Anyone who has ridden a wheel over Locust street continually is well aware that at no time up till this season, has it been possible to ride without getting bespattered with mud and filth from the sprinkled or rather flooded streets, all the bona fide local clubs have not indorsed Mr. Holm's candidacy for re-election. The Pastimes, at a meeting Monday evening, declined to be partisan and the Cycling Wanderers, North St. Louis and Business Mens' Clubs will vote to a man for Mr. Davis, and he will also receive a majority from the Stag and Y. M. C. A. Cycling Clubs. Does that look like an indorsement of Mr. Holm by all the local clubs? The Staehlin-Eilers matter has been satisfactorily explained, showing that the names were not used without authority.

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Louis Coburn of the Wanderers' Cycling Club made an attempt recently at Compton Avenue Park to lower the existing five-mile State record of 14:17 2-5. He was well paced by his three brothers, but owing to the cold day and the wind, which was blowing hard, he could do no better than 14:41. Considering the unfavorable weather it was a good effort and showed that under more favorable circumstances the record is within Coburn's grasp.

GEORGE PARKER'S REPLY.

He Will Accommodate William Karsch With a Match Next Season.

In a communication to the POST-DISPATCH, George Parker, the Modoc Rowing Club oarsman, says: "I notice in a recent issue of your paper the declaration of William Karsch, of the Western Rowing Club, in which he states that he is very anxious to row a race with me. Now, it gives me great pleasure to see that Mr. Karsch has concluded to row, but I cannot refrain from saying that the challenge of Mr. Karsch is entirely too late. As to my willingness to meet Mr. Karsch, I will say that I will deposit with any reliable party the sum of $25, to be held until next season, and thus insure a match between Mr. Karsch and myself. The effect of trying to row when out of condition was plainly shown in last Sunday's barge race, and while the Western Rowing Club was successful in securing an acceptance from our barge crew, after having laid their boat on the shelf for over a month, I will say for myself that it was a good policy to do so. Under ordinary circumstances the Western Barge Crew cannot pass the Modoc Crew, and when in condition Mr. Karsch cannot pass me. If Mr. Karsch is willing to give or post a forfeit to insure a match for next season, all right, but I will now state that I most positively refuse to recognize or accept any challenge at this late date."

Sporting Notes.

In a communication to the POST-DISPATCH Joe Rudmann of 823 Market street says: "I hereby challenge any 122 pound man, give or take one pound, nobody barred, to wrestle best two out of three, catch-as-catch-can or Greco-Roman, strangle hold barred, wrestling bouts, for the sum of $100 a side. Money and man can be found at the above address."

The place drawings for the coursing match, which takes place under the auspices of the St. Louis Coursing Club at Brentwood Saturday, will occur at 112 North Eighth street this evening.

Considerable rivalry exists between the St. Malachy and St. Kevin foot ball teams, which meet next Sunday afternoon for championship honors at Compton Avenue Park. Beside this game there will be a contest between the St. Patrick and St. Bridget Sodality teams and the Blue Bells and the Missouri Gymnasium elevens.

WANTS A PARK MADE.

L. A. Moffett Wishes the City to Buy the Property Opposite the Depot.

Mr. Leslie A. Moffett of the Moffett-Franciscus Real Estate Co., and a director of the St. Louis Real Estate Exchange, will set on foot a movement to have a bill introduced to have the city purchase the block of ground on the north side of Market street immediately opposite the new Union Depot and make a park of it, allowing considerable of the acquired space for drive ways for carriages as it is argued that Market street in front of the new depot will be too narrow for the amount of travel there will be over it. If the city is to buy this block it will be cheaper to buy it before costly improvements are erected on the ground.

Moffett & Franciscus report the sale of 35x117½ feet of ground on the north side of Harper street, 100 feet west of Glasgow avenue, for $35 a foot, from Mrs. Grace V. January to Wm. H. Hartnett, who will improve the site with a home.

J. E. Greffet reports the sale of forty acres of land, lying north of Florissant and near Loretto Academy, for $4,000, from Mrs. J. E. Greffet to John D. Aubuchon, Jr.

Henry Andreas, as special commissioner, sold Nos. 221 and 223 Elm street at the east front door of the Court-house yesterday. The property brought $5,000, Mrs. Nina Feuerbach being the purchaser.

John N. Jabine has transferred to the Chas. Niedringhaus House-Furnishing Co. 75½ feet of ground on the north side of Franklin avenue, between Tenth and Eleventh streets. The property is improved and is valued at $30,200.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for St. Louis and the State of Missouri.

A low-pressure area is central over the Dakotas, Nebraska and Colorado. Light rains have fallen in Montana, Georgia and New York.

The weather throughout the Eastern and Southern part of the country is generally clear, while in the Northwest it is cloudy, with snow in the Northwestern part of Montana. The fog area of yesterday is still central over the Lower Lakes and Ohio Valley.

Forecast for Missouri: Fair, followed by cloudiness and threatening weather; shifting to westerly winds; warmer in Northeast portion Saturday morning; colder Sunday morning.

Forecast for St. Louis: Fair Friday and Saturday; increasing cloudiness Saturday evening; warmer Friday night; cooler Saturday evening.

GIVEN A LIFE SENTENCE.

Frank Moore the First Man Convicted Under the Habitual Criminal Act.

Frank Moore, alias Bart McGuire, who for the first time in the history of the Criminal Court of St. Louis, was yesterday given a life sentence under the habitual criminal act, will make application for a new trial, and, it is thought, will carry the case to the highest tribunal before surrendering. On May 26 of this year Moore entered the boarding-house of Mrs. S. M. Tucker, No. 1507 Chouteau avenue, and was captured there by W. H. Stephens and another boarder after a hard struggle. It was the belief of the police that Moore was guilty of the murder of Ben McCullough, the bank cashier at Ferguson, but they could not prove the case. Moore's criminal career dates back to 1872, when he pleaded guilty to grand larceny and was sentenced to a year in the penitentiary. Again in 1874 he was convicted and given two years, and a third time, in 1877, he was sent up for three years. The jury, after a short deliberation, returned a verdict on both the burglary and habitual criminal indictments, and fixed the penalty at imprisonment in the Penitentiary for life. Chief Desmond is inclined to apply the same law, which has been growing rusty, to several other professional crooks.

The Coroner's Jury Exonerates McCafferty.

Charles McCafferty was exonerated by the Coroner's jury at East St. Louis yesterday of the killing of James J. Collins, the East Side race track barkeeper. A large number of witnesses were examined and they told practically the same stories as were published. Mrs. McCafferty was greatly excited and wept almost all the time the inquest was going on. The Coroner's jury remained out just five minutes and returned a verdict that Collins had died from a gunshot wound inflicted by Charles McCafferty, who acted in self-defense. McCafferty, who was allowed to go free, was congratulated by hundreds of friends.

Important Notice.

On and after Nov. 5, Burlington Route trains will leave St. Louis as follows:

Hannibal and Texas points	7:40 a. m.
St. Paul and Minneapolis	11:40 a. m.
Kansas City, Lincoln and Denver	8:05 p. m.
Burlington, Texas points, St. Paul and Minneapolis	8:15 p. m.

For Stealing Surgical Instruments.

A warrant was issued to-day against Charles Colbeck and Charles Peper, two boys, charging them with stealing veterinary surgical instruments valued at $20 from J. C. Kelly of 2933 Easton avenue. The boys were arrested yesterday.

HOW TO CLOTHE CHILDREN.

A PROBLEM THAT MAKES MOTHERS STUDY.

A Minister's Wife who Dresses Her Family in Excellent Taste—How a Small Income Went a Long Way—The Congregation Know Not How It Is Done.

The puckers in many a mother's forehead are deepened as she studies how to dress her boys and girls in a respectable manner on the small amount that is available.

A minister's wife in a small town near St. Louis was confronted by this discouraging situation, but her woman's wit and a few ten cent packages of diamond dyes solved the problem, and handsome clothes were soon evolved from a pile of odds and ends. Some of the congregation were heard to remark that it was wonderful how Mrs. Page managed to dress her family so well on her husband's salary, and even thought she was extravagant, but they never knew.

The *Home, Housekeeper, Ladies' Home Companion*, and other household papers have published many articles telling how to use diamond dyes in making new clothing out of old. Pretty dresses, handsome cloaks, serviceable stockings, and gay hat ribbons and feathers are obtained at but little expense, not only for the children, but for the mother as well.

The ease with which diamond dyes are used is really surprising. They make beautiful colors that never crock and are non-fading. "While there are other package dyes, there are none so easily used, nor such fast colors," says Jean Hunt in a recent number of *The Home*. "I have tried other dyes, but the diamond color the most goods. Their fast stocking black is the only black dye for cotton I have ever found that makes a fast black which never turns gray when washed.

NEAL CONFESSED.

Davie Culp Implicated in Many Robberies—Venice Items.

VENICE, Ill., Nov. 10.—David Culp, alias Jim Culp, alias Jim Webb, a former employe of the glucose works, was taken to Monmouth yesterday by Chief of Police A. B. Holliday of that city. Marshal Phayer arrested Culp Tuesday night, he having been notified some weeks ago to look out for him. Culp is charged with highway robbery at Monmouth, and a pal of his named Neal has confessed. Neal also implicates Culp in a number of other robberies, among them the robbery of a railroad depot in Bond County some weeks since. Culp has a bad record, having killed a man, it is said, at Bunker Hill a few years since, the killing being done for robbery.

G. A. Niemann of the Venice Electric Light and Power Co. has been notified by he Village Board of the town of Madison to make a new contract with the village for the furnishing of electric light. The present contract was made in September, 1892, to run ten years, at $100 per year per light. The present board claim the former board had no right to make a contract binding on their successors, and that the price is higher than in other towns in this vicinity.

Councilman McGee is building an addition to his residence.

The Ladies' Aid Society gave a Fair and oyster supper at the church last night.

A building boom has struck the town. Several new houses are being built, while a number of others are being [illegible]

Contractor Ryan and Foreman Duffy of Alton were here yesterday to make arrangements for the completion of the Main street improvement.

Jacob Walter yesterday recovered a judgment in 'Squire Fechte's court of $26.60 against Anton North and Anna North for plastering done last summer on the latter's house.

Carter Harrison's Will.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 10.—The will of Carter Harrison has been filed for probate. The Mayor was not worth $4,000,000 as was reported, but just about a million tied up largely in real estate. The will, while filed, has not been made public, though it is generally understood that the estate of the dead Mayor is not worth over $1,000,000.

Cook's Extra Dry Imperial Champagne should be in every household. It is perfectly pure and naturally fermented. *Highest Award, Medal and Diploma, Columbian Exposition.*

ABOUT TOWN.

AN OLD WOMAN KILLED.——Mrs. Casey, an old washerwoman, was killed by Wabash engine No. 279, at Cates avenue and Delmar avenue last night. She was going home from work at the house of Mrs. Hertz, No. 6700 Delmar avenue.

HE THREW THE STONE.——Henry Hopkins, an 11-year-old colored lad, was arrested last night and identified as the boy who struck Edgar McFarland last Tuesday with a stone, fracturing his skull. McFarland is now at the City Hospital.

SHE TOOK MORPHINE.——Josie Morgan, a negress, was found in the rear of 910 Market street last night suffering from a dose of morphine, which she claimed had been administered to her by Emma Bailey, also colored. Josie was pumped out of danger at the City Dispensary, while Emma Bailey was taken to the Four Courts.

WAS HER OWN WATCH.——Henry Davis of 116 Walnut street tried to pawn a gold watch at Mrs. Jeffe's jewelry shop, 608 Walnut street, yesterday afternoon, and Mrs. Jeffe identified the timepiece as her property which had been stolen eight months ago. She reported the matter to the police and George Hoeffner, a 16-year old boy, was arrested, charged with stealing the watch.

SCHOOL ELECTION RETURNS.——The Election Committee of the School Board canvassed the election returns last night and made a tabulated statement of them. What few slight changes were made in the figures will in no way affect the result of the election.

LABOR UNION TROUBLE.—A breach has been created between the various carpenters' unions and the Trades Council because the former refused to take out working cards from the council, claiming that their own are sufficient. There is considerable dissatisfaction at the proposition to reduce the representation in the council to one delegate from each union, instead of one for every 100 members, as at present.

KNOCKED OUT ATTORNEY HARVEY'S TEETH.—As Attorney Thomas B. Harvey was passing a fruit stand on Sixth, near Locust street, last evening he was struck in the mouth by a camp-stool which the standkeeper had picked up and was drawing back to throw at a messenger boy who was teasing him. The man did not see the attorney behind. Two of Mr. Harvey's teeth were knocked out, one forced into the gum and others loosened.

SLOP CONTRACTOR BUTLER EXONERATED.——The Board of Health at its meeting yesterday afternoon disposed of the charges against Slop Contractor Ed Butler. A long executive session was held and a still longer report prepared, the substance of which was that Butler had performed his duty as garbage contractor in all respects except that of dumping garbage in the river and the Sanitary Co. had failed to perform its contract fully by not processing all garbage offered at the works. This matter will be reported to the City Counselor for action

SICK HEADACHE

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

POSITIVELY CURED BY THESE LITTLE PILLS.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side. They regulate the Bowels and prevent Constipation. Are free from all crude and irritating matter. Very small; easy to take; no pain; no griping. Purely Vegetable. Sugar Coated.

SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

Beware of Imitations and Ask for CARTER'S and see you get C-A-R-T-E-R-'S.

CHILDREN'S DAY

TO-MORROW.

Sale of Beifeld Stock of CHILDREN'S CLOAKS At Ridiculously Low Prices

500 Children's Cloaks, double breasted, all wool materials, plaid, check and plain materials, military and Derby capes, puffed sleeves, handsomely trimmed, ages 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14; values up to $15. Choice at $4.98

750 Children's Cloaks, neat, plaid materials, with military capes, ages 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 yrs; value $5.50 $1.98

300 Children's Jackets for...98c

500 Children's Jackets for $2.50

The great sale of the Beifeld stock of Ladies' Jackets is closing very fast. Buy one, two or three and get the Greatest Bargain of the year.

Famous

Oxford Folding Beds.

Newest and Best.

Ornate Styles.

We are AGENTS and HEADQUARTERS. See Other Goods, Too.

Scarritt Furniture Co

412-414 N. Fourth St.

SOCIETY.

Mrs. E. M. Bowman of Newark, N. J., formerly resident of St. Louis, arrived last week to be present at the marriage of her niece, Miss Grace Adele Bowman, daughter of Dr. G. A. Bowman, to Mr. J. O. Mears, which was celebrated last Wednesday.

[illegible] St. Louis friends, having come [illegible] marriage last week of her son, Mr. James Clifford Mears, to Miss Grace Adele Stewart, has returned home after a delightful visit of a week.

Mrs. John Helmes and her daughter, Miss Ava Holmes of New Orleans, who have been making a tour North, and visiting the World's Fair, arrived last week to visit their cousin, Mrs. Noble Evans, at her home, No. 4017 Delmar avenue.

Cards have been received in the city by their friends announcing the marriage of Mr. James Beverly Risque and Miss Alice A. Renouard on Tuesday, Oct. 31, at White Oaks, N. M.

M. A. de Vervius is just able to be out, after a serious accident which will for some time deprive him of the use of his right arm.

Mr. Paul E. Harney, the noted artist, who has spent much time recently in Chicago, arrived here this week from that city and left the same day for Upper Alton.

Miss Maud Falles is the guest of her friend, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Periolat, in Chicago.

The marriage of Dr. Calvin S. Lightner to Miss Attie Eliot, will take place on Nov. 29. Dr. Lightner in the meantime is preparing a beautiful home for his prospective bride at 4061 McPherson avenue.

Miss Phoebe Cousins and her brother, Mr. John Cousins, who were both ill in Chicago, are now much improved and able to be out.

Mrs. Peter Tiernan, nee Curtis, and two children, who have been visiting Mr. Tiernan's mother and sister, Mrs. and Miss Mary Tiernan of Locust street, spent last week in Chicago before returning to their home in Kansas City.

Mr. Frank Galennie and his son, Mr. Rene Galennie, have returned from Chicago.

Mrs. John J. Cantwell of West Pine boulevard has returned from Chicago, where she accompanied her son, Mr. John J. Cantwell, Jr., and paid a second visit to the World's Fair to attend the closing days.

Mrs. Henry Clay Clarke of West Belle place, who has been ill with typhoid fever, is now entirely recovered.

Miss Kattie Starr of Lucas avenue entertained informally a select number of friends, one evening during the week, her aunt, Mrs. Charles Church, presiding.

Miss Lizzie Burleigh of Morgan street, gave a pleasant entertainment, on Tuesday evening, to a number of her school girl friends, at which dancing and other amusements were pleasing features.

Mrs. Nettie Houghton-Pritchartt of West Bell place is spending some weeks in Chicago the guests of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Winchester of Kenwood.

Mrs. J. A. Eddy has returned from Chicago, where she went to attend the termination of the World's Fair.

Little Miss Helen Conrad is ill at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Conrad of Delmar boulevard.

Miss Eugenie Francis Ivory has returned from a visit of two weeks to her sister, Mrs. Andre Bowles, Jr., of Chicago, at her home on Wabash avenue and Thirty-seventh court.

Mr. N. D. Allen has returned from a visit to Chicago.

Mr. Mark Sweney, who has been residing in New Orleans, has returned to St. Louis to remain permanently.

The John A. Logan Woman's Relief Corps will give a progressive euchre party and dance at the Pickwick Theater on Tuesday evening, Nov. 14, which will be a most attractive affair, the prizes being of an unusually handsome order. Mrs. Capt. Charles Evans and Mrs. H. A. Knollenberg are actively interested members.

Miss Annie Courtland has returned from a visit to friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Ross of 4135 Fairfax avenue gave a phantom party on Tuesday evening to about thirty-five of their friends, their home being beautifully decorated for the occasion. All the party were attired in loose white robes, draped from sheets, and wore white caps and masks. Each one related a ghost story, and all the amusements were of a ghostly order. At midnight they repaired to the home of Mrs. Ross' mother, Mrs. J. Colenbrauder of 4139 Fairfax avenue, where they unmasked, and a most delightful banquet was prepared for them, and where the enjoyment was continued until 2 o'clock in the morning.

The West End Afternoon Euchre Club was entertained on Tuesday by Miss M. E. Alter and Mrs. S. Morshell Ward of Lucas place. The old-fashioned saloon parlors were brightened by bowls and vases of yellow chrysanthemums, and refreshments were served during the evening. The first prize, a handsome pitcher in antique brass, was won by Mrs. Matt G. Reynolds of Washington boulevard; the second, a "five o'clock tea," Mrs. J. Wellington of West Bell place.

Mrs. Whalen gave a very pleasant euchre party at her home on Cote Brilliant avenue, on Friday evening. The first prize was won by Miss Genevieve Farrell and Mr. T. J. Staunton, the second by Mrs. Whalen and Mr. Grace, the consolations by Miss Lizzie O'Keefe and Mr. E. P. Hennessey.

Miss Emma Van Dunvesken of Delmar avenue entertained her Euchre Club this week. Misses Jeffery of Cook avenue, Hamilton, Maggie Mitchell and Marjorie Mullens were members of the party.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tipton, the latter nee Miss Hall of St. Louis, have returned from their wedding trip and are settled at Lebanon, Mo.

Albert Knell and wife will spend the winter in Europe. They will leave New York the 16th on the steamer "Bismarck" for Gibraltar, Algiers, and thence to Naples, Genoa, Cannes, Venice and Switzerland.

The marriage of Miss Mollie Smith to Mr. Edwin Strassbarger will take place Nov. 22.

Miss Lillie Winter of Bell avenue left on the 3d to attend the Purse-Stevens wedding at Louisiana, Mo., at which she will act as bridesmaid.

Miss Emma Allen is visiting friends in Centralia, Ill.

Misses Ettie and Lulu Gregory have returned to their home at Jacksonville, Ill., after a pleasant visit to St. Louis.

Miss Maud Nolan has returned to her home at Macon.

Miss Lucy Melton is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mary Stillwell of Sedalia, Mo.

Miss Annie Hains has returned to her home in Quincy after a pleasant visit to St. Louis.

Miss Eulalie Hockaday has returned to her home in Columbus, Mo., after a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Overall, of this city.

Mry. A. C. Ayr of Springfield, Mo., has returned to her home after a two weeks' visit with her parents [illegible] week, after a visit of three weeks to Chicago.

Mrs. Edward Fish of Delmar avenue has just returned from Chicago and the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Partridge, who have returned from their wedding trip are domiciled for the present at 3645 Finney avenue.

Miss Rose Bronsfield of Leavenworth is visiting Miss Julia Creedon.

The Misses Murphy of Pine street are entertaining Miss Hoske of New York.

Prof. E. R. Offutt and family of 3036 Sheridan avenue are entertaining Miss Josephine Bond of Little Rock.

Mrs. W. B. Ver Steeg of 3719 Laclede avenue will give a reception complimentary to Mrs. Oscar Lorentzen of Chicago on Friday, the 10th.

Suit on a Contract.

Jacob Barker entered suit this morning against the firm of Baker, Dart & Hilliard for $5,000. The plaintiff states that the defendants contracted in writing to deliver him twenty car loads of Ohio potatoes, to be good and sound and merchantable. The price was to be 35 cents a bushel, all of which contract they have ignored, and have failed entirely to deliver the potatoes to the plaintiff, for which reason he asks judgment.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething is the family benefactor. 25c a bottle.

Dear Heart.

How many summers, love,
Have I been thine?
How many days, thou dove,
Hast thou been mine?
Time, like the winged wind
When 't bent the flowers,
Hath left no mark behind
To count the hours!

Some weights of thought, though loth,
On thee he leaves;
Some lines of care round both
Perhaps he weaves;
Some fears—a soft regret—
For joys scarce known;
Sweet looks we half forget;
All else is flown!

Ah, with what thankless heart
I mourn and sing!
Look, when our children start
Like sudden spring!
With tongues all sweet and low
Like pleasant rhyme,
They tell how much I owe
To thee and time. BARRY CORNWALL.

Ringing Noises

In the ears, sometimes a ringing, buzzing sound, or snapping like the report of a pistol, are caused by Catarrh in the Head. Loss of smell or hearing also result from Catarrh, which may develop into Bronchitis or Consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures Catarrh by thoroughly purifying the blood and building up the entire system. Get Hood's, because

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, sick headache, jaundice, indigestion. 25c. Try a box.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Washington, D. C., Nov. 4, 1893.—Sealed proposals will be received at this Department until 2 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, Nov. 18, 1893, for supplying and placing in position in complete working order in United States public buildings at Ashland, Wis., Lansing, Mich., and Dallas, Tex., certain standard and special furniture. Specifications, drawings and blank forms of proposals will be forwarded to manufacturers and dealers upon application to the Department. The right to reject any and all bids and to waive all defects reserved. Partial bids will not be considered. Proposals should be addressed to the Secretary of the Treasury and indorsed "Proposals for Furniture for United States [illegible] at Ashland, Wis., etc." C. S. HAMLIN, Acting Secretary.

LOVATT MURDERED.

That Was the Verdict Arrived at by the Coroner's Jury.

BUT NO NAME WAS MENTIONED IN THEIR FINDING.

The Grand-jury Will Now Take Up the Investigation—Strong Points Presented by Attorney McIntyre—The Fast History of Kate Gardner and Her Associates—Haunts of Vice.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10—At the conclusion of the testimony in the inquest on Dr. Galen Wade Lovatt last evening Assistant District Attorney McIntyre presented the following points: Character of Kate Gardner's house, in which the doctor was killed; alienation of the doctor's affection for his family; disposition of people to keep husband and wife separated; the amount of money Dr. Lovatt had upon his person when none was found after death; a right-handed man shooting himself on left side, the bruised eyes; no one downstairs who went up when they heard pistol shot; disappearance of Connolly, alias Conory.

The jury returned a verdict without leaving their seats. It was as follows:

> Dr. Lovatt came to his death by a pistol shot wound at the hands of some person now unknown to the jury.

The Grand-jury will now investigate Kate Gardner.

In looking up the history of Kate Gardner the POST-DISPATCH correspondent gleaned the following facts:

Mammy McDowell appeared in the city about 1878. The old woman had plenty of cash then which she had secured in a damage suit against a street railway company in Indianapolis, brought in behalf of her son, Harry McDowell, now described as an actor. Almost from the day of her arrival in town she became a woman of note in her own circle. She opened what she termed a professional boarding-house in West Twenty-eighth street. By "professional" she meant that she catered only to those who were making a living on the stage. Her house soon became the resort of a choice variety of small-salaried actors and actresses, who enjoyed the free and easy life she not only permitted, but encouraged. The police forced her to move. Her daughter, Kate, was always her strong card, especially with the male guests. Kate then called herself Mrs. Morey.

Along in 1883 Mammy and her brood of star Bohemians moved to No. 45 Clinton place. There she had visiting her at different times, it is alleged, the ex-Governor of a Western State and his son. The boy went wild over Kate Morey. An opium layout was one of the greatest attractions at No. 45, and midnight dances were frequently arranged for moneyed visitors.

While living at No. 45 Clinton place Kate took for a husband Arthur Schlemmer, who now goes by the name of his step-father, Gardner. The step-father keeps a saloon where 5-cent whisky is disposed of in Clinton place, near Sixth avenue. They afterward separated, but were never divorced. Kate made the acquaintance of Gustave Suboski, a well known chemist. He became infatuated with her, and [illegible] place in lavish style. She ruined him.

"The child of my heart," she would say, "has gone and left her poor old mother, who has done everything to bring her up in the way she should go."

"Whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth."

Every time Kate called at the home her mother reproached her, and they usually had a fight, in which the old woman got worsted. Both mother and daughter were artists in the use of profanity. Some time afterward Will English, a son of ex-Gov. English of Indiana, put her on the stage in "Evangeline" at considerable cost to himself.

Mrs. McDowell used to boast that she was a sister-in-law of Gen. McDowell. She did not live with her husband, who was a native of Indianapolis. The night she heard of his death she gave a dance to celebrate the event at No. 45 and treated to whisky and beer until every one in the house got drunk.

The whereabouts of Conory are unknown. He is a thief and "took to the road" the night Dr. Lovatt was shot. He was the bully of the Gardner establishment and was described as its "runner."

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action, but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently cure habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system.

A LADY TRAVELER MULCTED.

Luggage Inspected at New York Port and Duty Unlawfully Collected.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Miss Annie B. Monckton, an English lady, residing in London, was a cabin passenger on the Lucania, which arrived here last Saturday. She was bound for Manitoba, to look after some property and from there intended to go to Tacoma, Wash., and thence back to London. Her luggage consisted of a couple trunks and satchels, containing such apparel as a woman would require traveling in the varying climates Miss Monckton would encounter. In her declaration to the customs officer on the ship at Quarantine Miss Monckton said that she had nothing dutiable.

On the dock it was learned by a POST-DISPATCH correspondent she was asked to open her trunks by Inspector Thomas Donohue, who examined their contents and asked where she was going. She told him, and he said she would have to pay duty on the clothes she had in the trunks. He asked her if she had money with which to pay the duty and she replied that in London she had £21 changed into American money and this she had with her, less a small sum which she had used to fee the stewards.

Donohue went and got another inspector who, he told Miss Monckton, was an appraiser and this man made a pretext of appraising her belongings.

Then Miss Monckton was told that the duty on her things was much over a hundred dollars, but if she would turn over to them all the American money she had they would give her a receipt and let her go.

This she did under protest, saying that she was sure she had nothing dutiable. The inspector then told her that she had gotten off cheap, and had better start on her journey right away, as if she stayed in the city over night she might be stopped and have to pay more.

The Surveyor's office is making a thorough investigation. Donohue has been summoned to appear before the Surveyor to-day and has already told the name of the inspector who passed as an appraiser on the examination of Miss Monckton's trunk. The authorities are trying to intercept Miss Monckton, asking that she make a sworn deposition of the case before a United States officer wherever she may be when the telegram reaches her, and have the deposition sent to the Collector here.

The 'Frisco Santa Fe Route—California.

Pullman Tourist Sleeper leaves St. Louis every Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock for Los Angeles, Cal., via Burrton, Albuquerque and Barstow without change. Double berth rate, $3.75. Second-class tickets are valid in Tourist Sleepers. For berths and particulars, call upon or address S. A. Hughes, Ticket Agent, 101 North Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.

THE FAIR "Bark" Is a Good Dog, but "Hold Fast" a Better One! THE FAIR

We apply this ancient saying to events now transpiring in the "Future Great." Our would-be competitors do a good deal of horn-blowing, but their promises end in smoke. We can't afford to fool the people, *even once.* Besides, we're in the market to stay, and as a home institution we desire to gain the confidence of the public and retain it. *"The affairs of life hinge upon confidence."* We can only do this by giving them what is termed in the vernacular of the wild and "woolly West,"

A Square Deal to All Comers!

Such stupendous values have never been known in the Clothing trade of St. Louis as we are now giving. Our great **Special Sale of Fine Clothing** from the mammoth stock of **Naumberg, Kraus, Lauer & Co., New York,** is now in its second week of success. This great sale has been a Waterloo to our would-be competitors, and the crowds that daily flock to THE FAIR show that we have gained the ENTIRE CONFIDENCE OF THE PEOPLE. **Read Our Great List of Bargains for This Week.**

MEN'S FEDORA AND DERBY HATS, WORTH $1.50, GO AT 98c.

A COMPARISON IN POINT!

To show you what we mean by big values, we call your attention to Two Special Items:

A Man's Suit or Overcoat, Absolute Value $15.00, - - For $9.90

A Boy's Suit or Overcoat, Absolute Value $7.50, - - - For $4.35

Pickings From the Great Sale!

Cloak Dept.

A handsome Cloak with wide fur trimming for......$6.98
Would cost on Broadway $10.00
You Save $3.02.

A Silk-lined Fur-edged Cloak for........$10.98
Would cost on Broadway $20.00
You Save $9.02.

A Warm Jacket with a fur edge for......$3.48
Broadway price, $6.00
You Save $2.52.

A Superb Jacket, tan or gray, Vicuna Beaver, for........$3.98
Broadway price, $10.00
You Save $6.02.

A Long Coat for a Child for........$1.98
Would be $5.00 on Broadway
You Save $3.02.

IT PAYS TO TRADE AT "THE FAIR."

Pickings From the Great Sale!

FURNISHING GOODS!

50 dozen Camel's Hair Undershirts and Drawers, Sale Price, 98c.

25 dozen Scarlet Medicated Undershirts and Drawers, Sale Price, 75c.

25 dozen Overshirts, good colors, Sale Price, 35c.

25 dozen Men's Jersey Gloves, Sale Price, 18c.

Pickings From the Great Sale!

Men's, Ladies' and Boys' SHOES!

260 pairs Ladies' Shoes in heavy calf, regular $1.75 goods, go at....$1.00

720 pairs Ladies' Shoes, fine dongola, patent tips, 6 styles, worth $2.00, go at....$1.37

1,860 pair Ladies' Dongola Shoes, in button and lace, 13 styles, worth $3.00, go at....$1.98

1,060 Men's Calf Shoes, Bals. and Congress, worth $1,50, go at....98c

920 Men's Calf Shoes, Bals and Congress, worth $2.00, go at....$1.23

480 pairs Men's Dress Shoes, in kangaroo, worth, $3.00, go at....$1.57

830 Boys' Shoes, worth $1.50, go at 98c

790 Boys' Shoes, worth $2.00, go at..........$1.23

THE FAIR S. W. Cor. Franklin Avenue and Seventh Street. THE FAIR

THEY REGRET IT.

Barracks Officers Sorry Gallant Was Attacked, but Doubt His Robbery Story.

The officers at the Jefferson Barracks, while feeling very much grieved that a civilian should be attacked for testifying at a court-martial, do not take much stock in the story of robbery. The Adjutant of the post, speaking yesterday, said: "We of course feel badly about the affair, because Gallant was a witness before a United States court and should have had the protection rather than the abuse of soldiers. The men were incensed at his testifying against McMenamin. They claim that Gallant induced him to sell his clothes to have him arrested and share in the reward for the capture of a deserter, which is $60. A lot of McMenamin's comrades gathered about Gallant after the trial and said to him: 'Now you get out of here.' They jostled and shoved him, and his watch chain broke and his watch came out of his pocket. One of the men picked it up and handed it to him. Sergt. White saw the trouble and running down ordered the men away. All the men who were about were drawn up in line and Gallant allowed to pick them out—that is pick out those he could identify. Guy and Slayton were the only two he could say were there. These, he claims, struck him. They admit being there, but say he was not struck and say he was only shoved. They refuse to state who else had a hand in it. For fear that Gallant might be hurt I made him accompany me to the hospital quarters and had the surgeon make an examination of him. A slight bruise was found on his left side. He claims this was made by one of the soldiers throwing a stone at him. We are looking for the others concerned in the affair and hope to find them. Gallant claims that he was robbed of $23. The motive of the attack was not robbery, and none of the soldiers could have robbed him of money without the others seeing it, and while they might shield a comrade from arrest for an offense like the one committed against Gallant, they would not if he had been robbed. All the officers of the post feel very bad about the affair and any and all participants will be punished."

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Carondelet Jottings.

Mr. P. P. Manion had August Hartke arrested yesterday for trying to carry off the engine room of the old South St. Louis Furnace. Mr. Manion purchased the furnace for the material there was in it. Hartke was fined $5 and costs for attempting to carry off some of the wreckage.

The case in Judge Meegan's court against Mary Temple, the colored girl, who hit Miss Horton with a poker, was dismissed on payment of costs by the defendant. The Temple girl was housekeeper for Capt. Horton, a colored politician, and she and Capt. Horton's daughter quarrelled. The Horton girl is represented as too sick to prosecute.

Dr. Volker of Michigan avenue was surprised last evening by a party of ten friends who called on him and reminded him that the occasion was the tenth anniversary of his wedding. The party had tin types of themselves which were presented to the doctor and Mrs. Volker as souvenirs of the occasion. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ecker, Mr. and Mrs. Brimmer, Mr. Will Nesbet and mother, Col. Taylor Stith and Mrs. Stith and Miss Lizzie Clench.

The Singing Section of the Germania Turnvereln will give an entertainment at Germania Turn Hall, Robert and Michigan avenues, Friday evening, Nov. 17.

Henry Miller was on trial in the Carondelet Police Court this morning charged with carrying a gun.

The remains of the late Charles Hall of 6825 South Broadway were buried yesterday afternoon.

The Aurora Pleasure Club will give a ball at Gillick's Hall Saturday night.

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BRITISH MINING DEADLOCK.

Rumored the Matter Is Soon to Be Settled by Government.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—It is stated on good authority that the British mining deadlock will soon be made a Cabinet question. The Ministers are now said to be considering the matter, and there are renewed dissensions among Mr. Gladstone's Ministers.

CLOSING IN ON RAMSEY.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Io., Nov. 10.—Grand Chief Ramsey of the Omaha Division of Railway Telegraphers was removed yesterday by an order of the District Court. He is charged with misappropriating funds and immoral conduct while in office. It is expected that A. D. Thurston, Past Chief, and George C. Flegel, Grand Executive Committeeman, will also be removed.

A Historic Homestead.

BRISTOL, Pa., Nov. 10.—The old "Keith Homestead" was sold last evening at public auction. Dr. John S. Paxton purchased the 231 acres at $34 per acre. The old two-story stone house which was erected in 1763, the home of George Washington, still stands where it was first erected and in just about the same condition.

Raboteau Sells All

The medicines advertised in this paper at 20 per cent discount. 714 North Broadway.

Mayor Swift Installed.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 10.—Mayor-elect George B. Swift was installed last night and he will take possession of his new office. His term will expire as soon as his successor can qualify after Dec. 19. Mayor Swift has promised not to disturb the municipal working force. Both Republicans and Democrats are in favor of holding conventions within the next two weeks. Among the new names suggested are ex-Judge Lorin C. Collins, Robert A. Waller and Alderman Sexton.

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WAITED FOR A BAGFUL.

Amusing Delay by a Green Postmaster in Washington State.

SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 10.—Post-Office Inspector Culver, who is here in connection with the robberies of the Garfield, Orville and Waneta Post-offices, has just closed the office at Sooyor. Mrs. O. Kanagan Smith, widow of a millionaire mine owner, was postmaster; but she went East and appointed a deputy.

Speaking of the matter to the POST-DISPATCH correspondent Inspector Culver said: "When I called the young man had three weeks' mail on hand, which he had not forwarded because the bag was not quite full. There were several thousand dollars in money and orders in the bag. The deputy expected to be able to forward a full bag in another week.

Not a Year for the Taking of Turkey.

From the Chester News.

Hard times will add a year's life to many a full-grown gobbler.

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ANOTHER CAPTURED.

Two of the Olyphant Suspects Now at Newport.

NEWPORT, Ark., Nov. 10.—One more train robber is in the hands of the law. The Sheriff arrived here last night with Cleve Wackerly, one of the wounded train robbers, who was captured at Conway, Ark., yesterday morning. He was shot in the mouth by the agent at Conway while resisting arrest and is suffering a good deal with the wound.

He is a young man, probably 25, of nice appearance and denied everything charged when interviewed by a POST-DISPATCH correspondent, but there is no doubt of his guilt.

The Marshal of Bald Knob also brought in a young man who tallies with the exact description of one of the men wanted, but he claims he is innocent. When arrested he had on his person a forty-four-caliber revolver and was acting very suspiciously. He was buying more cartridges, and when arrested denied owning a pistol, but afterward acknowledged to the Marshal and showed his pistol. His name is Abe Castleman, and he claims to be from Bagwell, Tex. He will be held till the authorities can learn more about him.

The railroad people say they will take the two men to Batesville to-night, but this is done to keep down the excitement here.

DEFIED THE STATE.

A South Carolina Liquor Seller Who Was Not Arrested.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 10.—There is one man in Columbia who on yesterday had nerve enough to defy the State. His name is W. B. Meetz, a saloonkeeper. Meetz was selling rice beer in the State Fair Grounds and was ordered by Gov. Tillman to close up his booth and decamp, which he refused to do, also warning the Governor that the first man who crossed his bar to arrest him would be filled full of holes. For a time it looked as if a riot would ensue but wiser counsel prevailed and the Governor and his state constables took their departure and allowed Meetz to sell his rice beer unmolested.

NOTICE TO SEALERS.

Threatened With Imprisonment in Siberia if They Violate Russian Grounds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 10.—Sealing circles are greatly exercised over notices that have been received in this city, stating that any vessel found sealing within a ninety-five mile limit of the Commodore group of islands on the Siberian coast, will be confiscated, together with all tackle. The officers and crews, it is stated, may expect sixteen months' imprisonment in the mines of Siberia.

CLAIMS OF SEALERS FORWARDED.

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 10.—Claims aggregating $1,000,000 have been forwarded to Ottawa by Collector of Customs Milner on behalf of the British Columbia sealers and will be presented against the United States Government under the arbitration arrangement.

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"SILVER continues to rise in London." The silver outlook may not be so bad after all.

IT is to be hoped that apprehensions of an income tax were not among the Ohio causes.

NEWSBOYS will sell the POST-DISPATCH for 2 cents. If more is charged, buy of the other boy.

OUR heroes must have their pensions, and an income tax will make every [illegible] secure.

"MCKINLEY and monopoly" is hardly a ticket that will recommend itself to intelligent voters in '96.

NOW THAT the smoke of battle has cleared away we may perceive how far the pendulum has swung.

THE Democratic party does not win victories when its Democracy is questioned by its own voters.

THE Democrat who "didn't care to wander from his own fireside" has made the "off year" quite complete.

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PRESIDENT VASQUEZ had a lot of fun with Uncle Sam. What would he think if Uncle Sam should have a little fun with him?

IF the Republicans want to fight the next presidential battle on a dead issue there will be no objection among the Democrats.

THE Republican vote in New York fell 100,000 short of Harrison's vote last year. This does not look as if protection were recovering any strength.

IF Russia coins $250,000,000 of silver in order to promote her trade with the far East she may increase the value of the great store of silver bullion in the United States Treasury vaults.

WHILE the Republican was voting on Tuesday, the Democrat sat listening to his eldest daughter, who was playing "Home, Sweet Home" on her piano, in her most charming manner.

THE Board of Health reports that the "interests of the city would not be served by canceling the contract" held by Garbage King Butler. This is another way of saying that Col. Ed has a "cinch."

IF decent Democrats had taken part in the primaries and gone into the convention which nominated Maynard in New York they would not have been kept home on election day by an epidemic of nausea.

THE experience of the United States in the Chilian and Hawaiian affairs should put the Administration on its guard in the Brazilian complication. Very probably a job lurks behind the much loved Monroe doctrine.

THE agreement between the Terminal Association and the Merchants' company is on file with the Secretary of State where it can be inspected by the Governor, the Attorney-General and the Railroad Commissioners.

IT would have been very sad if a delegation of 500 Republicans had left the home of the ex-President to go to Ohio and congratulate Gov. McKinley in person. Something is due the favorite son of Indiana, even though his chances have all vanished.

READ the love story, poems and letters of the assassin, Guiteau, in next Sunday's POST-DISPATCH. The papers were collected by his spiritual adviser, and are now given to the public for the first time. They throw a flood of light upon one of the saddest tragedies of modern times.

THE Republicans of New Jersey have won a victory which will enable them to gerrymander the State and elect a United States Senator. The Democrats who voted against their party or abstained from voting because they thought it wrong on a local issue probably did not reckon on a gerrymander and a Senator.

IT is not a Democratic journal which stabs Mr. Sherman with this: "If John Sherman could knock ten years off his age he would be a splendid Republican possibility for 1896." The persistency with which his party has shelved Mr. Sherman in every national convention for twenty years past makes this a peculiarly cruel cut.

THE information that France and England will not interfere in the domestic broils of Brazil was not unexpected. They have more important things to think about and watch on their own side of the water, and the experience of France in Mexico has probably inspired her with a wholesome respect for the Monroe doctrine.

THERE is one more citizen of New York who should be immediately sent out of the country as an Ambassador. It is the Cholly who writes that he is shocked to see men at the restaurant, after the play, without their evening dress. Possibly, however, he is only a presumptuous poor devil who contributed nothing to any campaign fund.

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COURAGE AND COMMON SENSE.

Congressman Tarsney of Missouri, who stands very close to Speaker Crisp, is not disturbed by the result of Tuesday's elections. Commenting on the future policy of the Democratic party he says: "So far as the majority of the Ways and Means Committee is concerned its duty is plain as a pikestaff. We must and will report a tariff bill to the House drawn upon the lines laid down in the national platform. A revenue tariff is what the people have demanded and it is what they must have. To offer them less than that would be to violate our obligations."

This no doubt is the sentiment of the more clear-headed, courageous leaders of the party. Mr. Cleveland was elected to the Presidency and a Democratic House returned on the revenue issue. Nobody can question the public will on that point or deny the emphasis of its expression. The victory of last year came as the conclusion of a five years' campaign in which the revenue was the main question discussed. The meaning of the verdict cannot be mistaken, and if the Democrats do not act upon it by carrying out the pledges of the platform they will commit a political blunder more disastrous to the party than the tardiness and the administrative mistakes which brought upon it such severe rebuke last Tuesday.

According to the best information the committee will have the revenue bill ready to report to the House when it meets next month. Prompt action is more than ever necessary now as only a few months will intervene between its passage and the Congressional elections. If the bill answers expectations, if it is a real response to the demands of the people for a rational revenue measure, free from the frauds which disfigure the present law, if it is built on common sense and common honesty and does not sacrifice any public good for the benefit of selfish special interests, there is no reason to fear the result. Let the Democratic party be true to its professions and principles and it will not fail to command popular support.

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MAKING MEN GOOD.

The people of South Carolina are learning that law must be sensible and practical if it is to be respected and obeyed. If it reflects only the prejudices or whimsies, even of a majority, trouble is bound to come when its enforcement is attempted.

Had not the ruffian Meetz known that the State dispensary law was odious to a large minority of South Carolinians, if indeed a majority do not now condemn it, he could not have impudently defied the Governor of the State and threatened his officers with instant death. He knew that the moral sentiment of the more stable element of society was averse to sumptuary laws. He knew that individual liberty was very dear to his fellow citizens and that in the opinion of many, if not most of them, the Governor's interference was a flagrant violation of personal right. The Governor had law on his side, or at any rate he represented the law, and in ordinary circumstances Meetz would have submitted quietly to his authority. But on the other side was the matured opinion of a large section of the community that the law was both wrong and foolish, and when law and public sentiment conflict trouble is sure to ensue.

Of course, a tough who deliberately violates a statute may not fall back on any such abstract plea. The duty of every citizen is to submit to the objectionable law while it exists, and change or repeal it by prescribed methods. But the important consideration is that in framing a statute the lawmakers should not rely solely upon their own ideas of what is right or beneficial, but wisely consult public opinion and not wantonly outrage a widely prevalent feeling. Laws of this sort invite disturbance and persons criminally disposed, like this South Carolina swashbuckler, feel safe in defying them.

Public sentiment may be wrong, but it is powerful. When legislatures, in a fit of superiority, rise above it they attempt the impossible because they cannot raise the moral level of the community by force of law. Moral improvement is a steady growth which cannot be hastened by compulsory means. All attempts to compel men to be good have hitherto failed and there is no reason to believe that better success is to attend them in the future.

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GOVERNORS AND THANKSGIVING.

"Why," asks a grumbler, "should a Governor issue a thanksgiving proclamation at all?" The Thanksgiving proclamation is certainly a rather stereotyped production; and every healthy man and woman would observe any day in November that might be fixed by the President if no Governor anywhere were to utter a word.

But why should the Governors make their proclamations so dull that nobody wants to read them? Why may not a Governor make his proclamation a literary gem and a part of the Thanksgiving enjoyment? If Congress were to offer a medal for the greatest Thanksgiving proclamation, might not the gubernatorial intellect be stirred to something grand?

Suppose a Democratic Governor, in a proclamation issued just after the elections of Tuesday had exerted himself and produced a paper that would have soothed and comforted the millions of stricken reformers and which at the same time would not have offended the opposition? Would a reader in the United States have missed it?

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OFF FOR BRAZIL.

At last our interest in South American affairs is fully aroused and American citizens are enlisting, as fast as they are accepted, under the Brazilian flag to put down the rebellion. A crowd stands about the recruiting office in New York and ex-naval officers, naval reserve men and experts in gunnery who have served in the navies of the United States have been enrolled.

Though our American law provides that every person who, within the territory or jurisdiction of the United States, enlists as these men are enlisting, shall be deemed guilty of high misdemeanor, and shall be fined not more than $1,000 and imprisoned not more than three years, the parties who have charge of the recruiting insist that they are doing nothing that is illegal, and that they may enlist as many men as they choose.

Nothing could be more free and easy than this. What a blessing to ourselves and to foreign nations generally who may happen to have a war on their hands! Notwithstanding the beneficent high tariff, there are always a great many men out of employment in this country, and how better could we be rid of this unemployed surplus than by shipping it to foreign parts where glory, if not large and prompt pay, may await it? Have we not ourselves sought strong arms and willing hearts in other lands when our national life was in peril?

As to fining these Brazilian recruits $1,000 for violating our neutrality laws, it is not probable that any of them ever had $1,000, or that they would not as soon fight for Mello, if he, too, would open a convenient recruiting office. Our braves are impartial and unprejudiced.

ELECTION day was one of suffering in the metropolis of Kentucky. It was a sort of Black Hole in the open air. The saloons were all closed and the pressure was tremendous. From early in the morning until midnight not a saloon was open. And it seemed as if midnight would never come. Parched crowds stood for hours at the saloon doors before the City Hall bell struck, and on the corners, on the curbing and leaning against walls, other perishing mortals strained their ears for the long anticipated stroke that would proclaim the supreme moment. When the doors opened the rush was appalling, but fortunately no one was seriously crushed. It is believed that the Legislature will be appealed to, and that elections will be made less frequent. The effect of the long abstinence of the election of '93 will probably never be fully overcome in the system of any Kentuckian who was among the sufferers.

"FOUR dead;" "both legs cut off;" "head and body scalded;" "both arms cut off;" "left leg broken and body scalded;" "left hand cut off and body burned;" "badly scalded—will die;" "internally injured—will die." And so the railroad record continues and disputes newspaper space with the election returns. There is no cessation of these railroad crashes, though the Fair is over.

AS THE St. Petersburg *Grashdanin* says that a European war is inevitable, we may as well begin to look for bloodshed. The *Grashdanin* is the paper to which the Czar sends all his communications and to which he always goes when he wants a little personal notice saying that he is to go to Krasnokoots, when he really means to depart for Copenhagen.

THERE may have been a bit of gloom for Albert Edward on his 53d birthday, which fell on the 9th. Fifty-two years is a long time to be a Prince who is also heir to a throne. Victoria is a good, kind mother, but it has not occurred to her to abdicate.

POSSIBLY injustice has been done the lady managers of the Fair. The whole trouble may have come from the peculiar atmosphere of Chicago, which is a sort of cat-fighting air, producing belligerency among the most peaceable people. Witness the numerous riots and also the fierce contentions in the City Council.

THE news that Carter Harrison had only a million, and not four millions, is not particularly depressing. Except in times of extraordinary stagnation a man with a million, if he is careful and watchful, can generally keep the wolf from his door.

IN a book of autographs of noted men and women recently published the editor has had the wisdom to put each name in print in the appendix. The handwriting a great many men use in their signature is a hopeless puzzle.

THE Canadian who was accompanied by twenty-six of his brothers and sisters when he went to the church to have his thirtieth child christened, feels reasonably certain that his name will not perish from the earth.

A WILL case in New York involves $12,000,000, and there are 146 plaintiffs and 154 defendants. If the lawyers do not get something substantial out of all those litigants the profession may as well be abandoned.

AN Alderman at Warren, O., has been pitched over a desk, but is thankful that he is not an Alderman in Chicago. Being pitched over a desk is not so disturbing as the collision with a flying cuspidor.

THE Marquis of Queensberry has just been married. It is to be hoped that the Marquis and the Marchioness may never have to settle their domestic differences by the Marquis of Queensberry rules.

THE Democrats in Pennsylvania would have had a better showing had it been Dr. Fell who was running instead of Judge Fell.

EMBEZZLER WEEKS gets ten years in the Sing Sing penitentiary. He got $1,500,000 before he went to Costa Rica.

MR. MCCAFFERTY probably carried his "gun" by permission of the Mayor of Chicago.

The Administration.

From the New York WORLD.

It is not unusual for an Administration to suffer from a reaction in the second year of its term. But no President in recent times has witnessed such a set-back for his party in the first election after his inauguration as Mr. Cleveland will contemplate to-day.

In a large sense the party in power is no doubt the victim of the distress inflicted upon the country by the Republican silver panic. The President's consistent and firm stand for the unconditional repeal of the silver-purchase act has without doubt deflected from him much of the popular discontent. But his Administration has suffered for the Bourbonish obstinacy of the obstructing Democratic Senators.

There is no doubt, furthermore, that the appointment of Van Alen and of Roosevelt, imitating the Wanamakerism which the voters rebuked in the last election, gave a moral shock to many supporters of the President who deemed him incapable of any pandering to plutocracy.

There is need of wise, united, vigorous and honestly Democratic action by the Administration and by Congress if the party is to recover its ground in the Congressional elections next year.

Great Is John Sherman.

From the Boston Globe.

To those who are acquainted with the history of John Sherman the assertion of Mr. Lodge last Saturday evening that he is "the wisest financier of this country" is highly amusing.

John Sherman has been upon about every side of the money question. Not many years ago he was a pronounced greenbacker, and his utterances are quoted to-day in wild-cat money circles as the utterances of "John Sherman before he sold out to the money power."

John Sherman is on record as a former antigoldite, the friend of paper money and of various pet schemes of unorthodox finance. For reasons that have been variously accounted for he has in later years quite reversed his attitude.

Is it John Sherman, the possessor of the political and financial coat of many colors, that to Mr Lodge's mind has won the title to being the wisest of American financiers?

Discard the Lamp.

From the Philadelphia Ledger.

The Superintendent of the Railway Mail Service strongly recommends that the use of oil lamps in mail cars be abandoned, partly because of the dangers attending their use, especially in a wreck, and also because of the injury done to mail matter by their drippings. As neither gas nor electricity can very well be introduced into mail cars unless extended to other cars of the same train, the adoption of the superintendent's recommendation would lead to a general reform which ought to be carried out as soon as possible, for the security of passengers as well as of mail matter. There are some poor companies that cannot afford to make the change, and yet it is on the lines of these companies that the greatest danger of accidents exists. The remedy appears to be to set up a State standard of train service which must be maintained even by the poorest road as long as it is operated at all.

Leaving Hamlet Out.

From the Boston Herald.

"Every real obstacle placed in the way of repeal in the Senate has been placed there by the silver Democrats and the lukewarm Democratic supporters of repeal," remarks the Portland *Press*. So the opposition of those stanch free silver Republicans, Messrs. Teller, Jones, Stewart, Mitchell, Wolcott and Dubois amounted to nothing, did it? Well, well! One would think they were having an election down in Maine, or does the press there misrepresent merely for the fun of the thing?

Bad News for Chollie and Chappie.

From the Boston Herald.

The recall of the appointment of the Consul to Amoy for not having paid his tailor's bill will undoubtedly occasion a sympathetic throb, in the hearts of a very large number of his countrymen.

Rural Opinion.

From the Mexico Intelligencer.

St Louis shows her appreciation of the appointment of Col. James O. Broadhead, Max Judd and Judge Speck by giving an increased Republican majority.

Somethin g Ma Wouldn't O verlook.

From Puck.

Suitor (passionately): "Read my face and know my heart!"

Beloved: "Really, Mr. Gilquiver, I cannot read anything until mama has, at least, glanced it over."

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

[All matter printed in this column must be written on one side of the paper.]

Praise From an Enemy.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

The Methodist ministers held a meeting in St. Louis lately, at which Dr. Pool paid a high compliment to the Catholics, which they should gratefully acknowledge. Dr. Pool is quoted in yesterday's *Republic* as saying: "In Boston 1,400 of 1,800 teachers in the public schools, and in St. Louis 1,100 out of 1,800 are Romanists. Protestant families, too, send their children to convents to be more highly educated, while the countries which are wholly in control of Roman Catholics are the most ignorant of all." Of course this learned and religious man did not mean to compliment the Catholics, but he did so, nevertheless. Boston and St. Louis are cities renowned for culture, and the public schools of both are ranked among the best in the land. Now, who lay the foundations of culture in the people of a city! And whose work insures the success of the schools? Why, the teachers and the teachers' noble work, of course. So it is plain, then, from Dr. Pool's figures, that the culture of Boston and St. Louis, and the proud records of their public schools are largely due to their Catholic teachers. His statistics force the conclusion that in this free country, at least, the Catholics are not generally "the most ignorant of all."

TRUTH.

The Choral Society.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

On Monday evening at the Choral Society rehearsal, the Board of Directors told us of the extreme difficulty they were having in raising the necessary funds with which to undertake the usual concert season and stated that unless much greater success was met with the season might have to be abandoned. Is it possible that in this great city there are not enough music lovers and public-spirited persons who realize that an oratorio society is a necessity if St. Louis is to be considered a city of the first class, to come forward at this time and contribute the $3,000 or $4,000 that are needed? Must the organization which has led the way in musical culture, which has brought music within the reach of thousands, which has given musical instruction free to many hundreds, go to the wall for the want of a little support?

New York, Chicago, Boston and Philadelphia maintain liberally similar societies. Shall we backsink and do less than they in such a matter?

Will you not point out to the people of this great city, that one of their institutions, one that they should value and be proud of, is in danger and must be supported.

CHORAL MEMBER.

Admires Boss Butler.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I have heard many accusations against his slopship, Edward Butler. In fact, for the past twenty years the papers have kept his evil doing continually before the public. I had begun to look on this man as a "hydra-headed monster" of wrong—an example specially designed by providence to keep children from going to the bad. Personally I do not know the boss, but recently he was pointed out to me while driving out with his wife, certainly his appearance belies his reputation. I quite closely followed the evidence in the recent garbage trial in which he came out first best, and rightfully too. Butler is evidently a business man, with business methods, and is handling the city slops without gloves, so to speak. I would suggest he be given a rest for a time. You remember what Artemus Ward said about the late G. Washington? "He never slopped over." This may be the case with E. Butler.

SILAS SANDERS.

Origin of Sunday Observance.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I read with interest a letter signed Fred T. Harrison, in your issue of the 8th inst., headed "Submitting to Catholic Authority."

The claims therein advanced are founded on the absurd claim of the Roman Catholic Church to be the church of the Apostles.

Sunday has been observed as the Lord's Day since the time of Christ. When the church divided over the introduction of Pagan practices by its ruling officers each party continued to observe the same day. I belive the Roman Catholic Church afterwards issued some rules for the government of their own sect but their claim that Protestants are governed thereby is absurd.

We observe the Lord's day, or Sunday, because the Apostles so observed it and because we believe apostolic example to be equivalent to divine command, and for that reason only.

A READER.

Red Bud, Ill.

Peace! Peace!

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

For humanity's sake don't let Christians of different sects fill the Forum with abuse of each other's creeds and churches. I am not a Christian because so many unchristian acts and displays of unchristian spirit in sectarian controversies have made it seem to me that a man cannot be recognized as a Christian until he learns to denounce and abuse all who do not think as he does, and especially all denominations of Christians except his own.

HEATHEN.

A Heathen Grieves.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I do not read the religious communications in the Forum, but I see by the headings and the first few lines that a violent controversy is going on between church people. These bitter quarrels and denunciations grieve me. How can sin ever be eradicated with the good people of the world forever by the ears? All this may be interesting to them, but it shocks everybody else. Is there no good spirit to command, "Peace! be still!"

A HEATHEN.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

SUBS.—Sandow has never given an exhibition in this city.

ENTERTAINMENT.—J. L. Stoddard has no local engagement as yet.

SUBS—John Boyd Thatcher was chairman of the Committee on Awards.

WM. KEMPFF, JR.—You can save time by addressing your inquiry to the *National Druggist*.

MEXICO.—A certain amount of household furniture is exempt from suits of attachment.

D. B.—The Mayor has revoked all permits so that an old permit does not give you any right.

HALL.—Henry Irving's company has no engagement here this season. 2. "The Isle of Champagne."

S. A. S.—Write to James Cox, Secretary Autumnal Festivities Association, for the information you desire.

E. AND P.—President Cleveland is eligible to re-election. An American born Catholic is eligible to the office of President.

R. T.—Read the proclamation of the President or of any Governor for an understanding of the spirit of the American observance of Thanksgiving Day.

JAMES R. SMITH.—The expression "fourchette" in whist means that the hand holds an ace, queen and ten of the same suit. The literal meaning of the word is fork.

OLD MAN NED.—The number of people who attended the World's Fair was 27,531,849. The paid admissions were 21,479,681. Write to the firm you mention for information about their prize contest.

MISS LOVE.—Marriage licenses cannot be issued in any State to parties under age. The license must be secured by the parties in person, as they have to swear to the information they furnish the license clerk.

A Little Plaisance-try.

From Good News.

Lady: "Have you any Turkish towels?"

New boy: "Turkish towels?"

"Yes. Haven't you ever heard of Turkish towels?"

"I've read a good deal about Turks, ma'am, but I never knew they used towels."

Gambling, Anyhow.

From the New York Weekly.

Employer: "Yesterday you asked for a day off, to get married; yet I saw you in the afternoon coming back from the races."

Clerk: "Y-e-s, sir. I—I was trying to win money enough to pay the preacher, sir."

PLUCKED THE BANK

The Fast Life Led by Scheig and the Floyd Boys at Minneapolis.

LIGHT THROWN ON THE CAUSE OF CASHIER BOFFERDING'S SUICIDE.

He Preferred Death to Facing Certain Exposure and Disgrace—The Youthful Swindlers Managed to Get Away With $90,000—An Arrest of One of the Brothers Brings Out a Full Confession.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—Louis Floyd, who was arrested on Wednesday, charged with being concerned in the robbery of the Bank of Minneapolis of $90,000 on Sept. 2, is held without bail at the Tombs to await the arrival of requisition papers from Minnesota. Philip M. Scheig, the principal in the robbery, is on the steamer Spruce with Floyd's younger brother, Frank, bound for Europe. They will be arrested upon their arrival at Southampton. The Floyd boys are the sons of the former leading photographer of Minneapolis, who died some five years ago, leaving his widow and son a competency. The brothers were distinguished by good looks, their clothes and their gentle but firm refusal to work. With much effort they gained a reputation for wickedness. Frank Floyd is an amazingly pretty boy. Louis Floyd has more brains than his brother, but is not overburdened. A fondness for poker proved Lou Floyd's ruin. Philip Scheig is a bright young man. His father is Philip Scheig, who owns the barber shop in the Nicollette House, formerly owned the West Hotel barber shop and is much respected in Minneapolis. He was at one time comfortably rich, but the waywardness of his three sons practically ruined him.

If ever there was a born gambler young Scheig was one. He had an uncontrollable passion for cards. It was about five years ago that this mania began to be talked about. Scheig became a daring and desperate gambler. No odds could daunt him. He won and lost large sums with absolute calm. Men who spent their whole life in gambling regarded the cold-blooded stripling with amazement. It was about three years ago that Schieg stole from the bank $4,000 one night. His father paid $3,500 to hush up the matter and the son was suspended. It was only the strong friendship of Cashier Bofferding that saved the young man from dismissal.

For awhile Scheig left off gambling. He married one of the prettiest girls that Minneapolis had ever known. She was Miss Emma Barge, the daughter of Jacob Barge, a saloonkeeper, supposed to be worth about $500,000. But the gambling mania again took possession of him with greater force than ever and he began to plunge heavily. Poker became to slow and was abandoned for faro and roulette. A "brace" game run by men whom he believed to be his friends took away first his cash and then that of the bank at a lively rate.

It was about Aug. 31 that Scheig left Minneapolis for Chicago with his wife and mother-in-law. Once there he told them he had been recalled to Minneapolis. He disappeared. That was the last anyone heard of him until Lou Floyd was captured in New York. At the time Scheig disappeared it was said that he had taken some $15,000 of the bank's money. As a matter of fact the amount was about $60,000 in cash in addition to $25,000 or $30,000 which had been gambled away.

Following closely upon this embezzlement came the suicide of M. J. Bofferding, the cashier of the bank. He had always been Scheig's sponsor. The young man's robbery drove him to kill himself. While Scheig and the Floyds were at the height of their rapid career in Minneapolis another young man whom they knew became possessed of a fortune of nearly a million dollars. This was Frank Byers, then about 19 years old. Most of his money was held by the Bank of Minneapolis in trust and of course Scheig was in a position to know all about his financial condition. In addition to what money the bank held in trust Byers had an open account which he drew against. He was taken up by the Floyd brothers and for a time the quartette lived at the Floyd apartments. The four had a box at the theater almost nightly and by their lavish use of money made many friends among both sexes. It is stated that one of the Floyds after going through his own fortune signed yound Byers' name to checks and Scheig as paying-teller passed the signature as correct. It is thought that in this way Byers was mulcted to a considerable amount.

Admissions made by Louis Floyd go to show that a scheme to defraud English banks was about to be worked. Scheig, it is alleged, before he left the bank tore out several drafts and put the certification stamp upon them, making the stubs void. It was then intended to have Frank Floyd fill in the draft and sign the cashier's name. Scheig had carried away with him considerable of the bank's letterheads, and being familiar with the secret cipher used for identification purposes with the Great Britain correspondents he might easily have had several drafts cashed before the fraud became known.

The capture of Scheig, which is now certain to take place, may clear up the cause of Cashier Bofferding's suicide. It has been said that Bofferding was backing Frank Shaw, when the latter paid $225,000 for the exclusive betting privileges at Washington Park in July. It proved a losing venture. Scheig is said to have taken advantage of his knowledge when sent to Chicago with about $80,000 for Shaw to make away with the funds.

LEFT HIM IN SICKNESS.

Farabee Cook Gets a Divorce From an Unfaithful Woman.

A very sad and unhappy marriage was annuled to-day by Judge Withrow in a very quiet manner. The husband in this instance is a young man suffering from consumption named Farabee Cook. His case was called up on Wednesday, when his counsel stated that he was too sick and weak to appear in court. The other witnesses, however, were heard. His wife's name was Margurite and they were married in St. Clair County, Ill., in 1892, but only lived together for a year. The landlady of the boarding-house at No. 2101 Olive street, testified that about a year ago Mrs. Cook came there while her husband was in Texas and engaged a room, saying her husband would return shortly. A week or so after a man put in an appearance and Mrs. Cook gave the landlady to understand that it was her husband. The pair lived together as man and wife for some six or eight weeks, when they moved to another place. It then transpired that the man was not Mr. Cook, but another man entirely. After that Mrs. Cook finding her husband was ill and unable to walk much, she took up with other men and abandoned her husband entirely. One witness, Philip Kohan, testified that the woman was now the keeper of a disreputable house. The plaintiff in the case appeared in court to-day and told Judge Withrow his short but sad story and was given his decree of divorce.

Judge Withrow Married Them.

Judge Withrow day before yesterday performed the first marriage ceremony he has performed since he has been on the bench. He was somewhat averse at first to officiating but yielded to persuasion. The contracting parties were Bertold A. Lange, a young attorney, and Miss Leonora Horleman, a niece of Leo Rassieur. The ceremony took place at the bride's home, 3937 Indiana avenue, on the evening of Wednesday, the 8th.

ATCHISON'S AFFAIRS.

Hints That It Will Soon Want a Receiver.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—Since the retreat of the Union Pacific Railroad Co. to the safe vantage ground, so far as creditors are concerned, of a receivership President Reinhart of the Atchison has been kept busy denying that his road is to follow suit. When the panic days came Atchison dropped down to 12⅛, about receivership prices, from 46¾, which was its best figures in 1892, and from 34½, which was its quotation in January, 1893. The finances of the Atchison show the possibilities of complexity in railroad obligations at a very extreme point, until now the 10,000 miles of road has between $400,000,000 and $500,000,000 of securities piled up against it. At present the insiders in the stock in this city, that is, those who control the property, talk to the POST-DISPATCH reporter in the most glowing terms of its prospects, and yet this confidence is not reflected in the stock market, and to close watchers this gives the impression that there is an unloading campaign going on. The last financial expedient of the Atchison managers was the extension of the guaranteed fund notes in the London market, where so many of the securities of the road are held. Indeed a Wall street operator talking of the discrepancy between Atchison promises and Atchison prices said that it would be the most natural thing in the world for the application for a receiver when one is made, to be in a London court or at least to have the fact made public there before American holders are apprised of what is going on. Those who believe that Atchison is really earning over her fixed charges by a safe margin are beginning to think that she may be forced to retire at damaging, even though unfounded rumors, into a receivership. This would be precisely what a very lively coterie of bears would welcome and this is the explanation which the officials of the company offer to account for the low prices of the stock.

President Reinhart, when asked by a POST-DISPATCH correspondent about the reports yesterday, said, with an air of weary disgust after a hearty laugh:

"The same old gang at their same old tactics. They ought really to get something else. That gang who are working so industriously would be invaluable in our coal mines. I would like to have them there."

NANSEN'S EXPEDITION.

Returned Sealers Say His Chances for Reaching North Pole Are Good.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* says that Dr. Nansen's prospects of reaching the Pole are greatly improved. It appears that some Norwegian seal hunters who have just returned from Hammerfest, in the extreme northern part of Norway, report that at the time they were there Nansen's expedition was entering the Kara Sea. This was in August last and the seal hunters were then able to cruise freely in northern parts around the Novia Zembla Islands northwest and west. The sealers add that over an area of twenty to thirty miles there was no ice whatever and moreover they could judge from the waves that the sea was quite clear further north. They add that there was every probability that the Fram had gone through the otherwise generally ice-choked Kara sea in a few days after leaving Jugar Strait.

The seal hunters report also that in the memory of all those experienced hunters, numbering quite 100 men, the sea was never so free of ice as it was last autumn and that no polar expedition ever had such [illegible] has.

Another seal hunter on Sept. 30 was in lat. 77.15 north, and from there sailed thirty miles direct east and encountered no ice during the trip. Another skipper sailed close to the northwest land of Spitzbergen, where there was but little ice.

Dr. Nansen himself in a letter to a friend dated Aug. 3, says:

"To-morrow we start west and northwestward. It really seems that the winds favor us, as we find wide open gates, for here it is blowing a capital south wind, which must push the ice far northward into the Kara Sea."

MAYOR PRIX RE-ELECTED.

VIENNA, Nov. 10.—Dr. Prix, the Mayor of Vienna, who recently resigned owing to differences regarding his administration, has been re-elected.

In announcing his success Mayor Prix greatly excited his opponents, whose demonstrations were drowned by the cheers of the Mayor's friends. The words of thanks expressed by the Mayor eventually caused such an uproar that the sitting was closed.

TRADE WITH CALCUTTA.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—A dispatch to the *Times* from Calcutta says that the report of the Collector of Customs shows that the German trade with Calcutta has increased threefold during the last five years and that English trade with the same port has decreased from 65 to 57 per cent in the period referred to.

CASHIER MAY RESIGNS.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—Mr. May, Chief Cashier of the Bank of England, has resigned. He will be succeeded by Mr. Bowen, the chief accountant.

STEPHANIE TO MARRY SOON.

PARIS, Nov. 10.—It is announced that the Archduchess Stephanie, widow of the late Archduke Rudolph, will shortly be married to a rich Duke of Austria.

M. PIERIER WILL BE RE-ELECTED.

PARIS, Nov. 10.—H. Cassimir Pierier will undoubtedly be re-elected President of the Chamber of Deputies.

AMNESTY TO DILLON.

PARIS, Nov. 10.—The Government will not oppose the granting of partial amnesty to to Messrs. Rochefort and Dillon.

MRS. SILVA GETS IT.

Her Household Property Will Not Be Auctioned.

There will be no auction sale of the Silva household effects, Mrs. Silva's attorney, Mr. Delano, having succeeded in securing the release of all the property attached by Rainwater, Bradford & Co. When the furniture was attached, the Knauff Carpet Company filed a claim for over $200 worth of carpets and window shades. The attorney for the plaintiff refused to give bond and this was released. Mrs. Silva's sister claimed a lot more of the husband's effects and the hat company failed to file a bond and it was released. Mrs. Silva then claimed her own personal property. After this claim was allowed her attorney claimed the balance under the exemption laws, she being entitled to what was left as the head of a family. It was thought this would be fought, but this morning this too was released and nothing is to be sold. The bill of costs will come close to $100. This will have to be paid by the plaintiff who is the assignee of the hat company. It is thought Mrs. Silva will pay the balance due the carpet company and save all her household goods.

Everything in Stock.

From Puck.

Customer: "I'm looking for a tall man with one arm."

Floorwalker: "Certainly. The remnant counter is just across the store."

Determined to Hold His Own.

From Puck.

Objection to youth who stays late: "Why, ma! he wants to remain in continuous session."

FIRST NIG[illegible]

St. Louis Amateurs Give a Performance of "Richard III."

THEY DESCRIBE THEIR SENSATIONS IN FACING THE FOOT LIGHTS.

Jack Leahy Believes a Girl in Red Was Trying to Hypnotise Him—Miss Lynn in Tights—Why Dan Donovan Spoke Low—Experiences of Others.

Will J. Carlin, who has ambitions to become an actor, produced "Richard III." at Germania Theater last night with the assistance of a number of well-known young elocutionists. The members of the cast are all widely known socially and the friends who turned out to greet them filled the theater with a very fashionable throng. Everybody connected with last night's production was an amateur, even to the stage manager, yet for all that the production was very creditable. The laughable mishaps that usually attend amatuer dramatic performances did not turn up over frequently. The young people knew their lines and spoke them intelligently. Cally Cibber's acting version was given entire so that the audience got more Richard than Mr. Keene or Mr. Mansfield ever gave them.

The performance moved smoothly until the fifth act, when in the excitement of the battle scene the Earl of Oxford hung himself to the limb of a tree by colliding with the side flies in making a hasty exit. Later the Earl of Richmond, who had donned a suit of mail, dropped his sword and in attempting to stoop for it almost toppled over. The armor would not bend and the Duke had to go weaponless until one of his stage enemies, who was more flexibly clad, restored him his weapon. There was a little confusion too, towards the close, as the audience could not tell which was which in matter of armies, Gloster and Richmond each leading on the same trusty band of warriors. It was one army doing service for two, as supers were scarce.

Mr. Carlin gave a very satisfactory rendition of the wily and deformed Duke. He was ably assisted by John S. Leahy, whose King Henry was an intelligent effort. Joseph B. Ryan was a handsome and energetic Richmond. The Lady Anne of Miss Mabel Ayres was a very effective piece of work. An incongruity that could only have occurred at an amateur performance was the presentation to the young lady of huge bunches of flowers from admiring friends at the conclusion of the moving scene over the dead body of King Henry. Afterwards the performance was interrupted several times by the bestowal of flowers on the performers. Fortunately, however, none of those killed during the action of the play had to be resuscitated to receive floral emblems.

The other members of the cast were: Fressel, David O'Neil; Lord Stanley, Will Chandler; Lieutenant, Will Murphy; Lord Mayor, Adolph Sahrung; Earl of Oxford; Tom Moore; Duke of Norfolk, Dan Donovanr Tirrel, Fred Bates; Ratcliffe, Sylvester Papin; Queen Elizabeth, Miss Lynn Morley; Prince Edward, Miss Constance Lynn; Duchess of York, Miss May Lee; Duke of York, Little Emma Hall.

BEHIND THE SCENES.

If an amateur performance is funny before the footlights it is funnier still behind. Unfamiliarity with grease-paint and outlandish costumes puts the performers ill at ease. Then there is the watching [illegible] and that horrible nervousness about facing the audience. A POST-DISPATCH representative spent last evening in the wings with the members of Mr. Carlin's company and picked up some amusing experiences in the line of stage debuts. A strange feature was the alleged lack of nervousness claimed by all the members of the cast. Not one could be got to confess to even a suspicion of stage fright when he faced the crowd.

MISS AYRES' EXPERIENCE.

"How does it feel?" said Miss Ayres, repeating the reporter's question. "Why, you don't feel anything, because you can't see anything. Beyond the footlights looks like a big black empty hole. You talk into that. I couldn't see a soul I knew, even in the boxes."

ALMOST HYPNOTIZED HIM.

It was different with Jack Leahy. He had a kick coming after his first exit. "Did you see that girl in red in the second row?" he asked as he came off. Nobody had seen her. "Well, keep your eyes off her. She's a hypnotizer. She caught my eye when I came out and I couldn't look away from her. I didn't know I was acting. I just recited my lines right at her. She'll break me up if I look at her my next time out." Just then he got his cue, and as he walked out his eyes sought the second row and rested there until Gloster killed him and broke the spell.

Tom Moore hung around with a book through two acts watching for his cue, and when it came he asked somebody if it was his turn to go out. The stage manager made a dive for him and sent him on with a shove. Tom disclaimed any nervousness; he only [illegible] to be sure.

Will Murphy figured it out like this: "When I went to college our old elocution teacher used to prime us up by saying 'just go on and imagine your talking at row after row of cabbage heads.' That came back to me to-night when I was on. As I began to see things through the lights here, there and everywhere I could see bright spots that looked for all the world like cabbage. I knew what they were when Miss Ayres got [illegible] bunch of chrysanthemums. I played [illegible]ysanthemums."

MISS LYNN'S SWORD.

[illegible]o the terrors of a first appearance Miss [illegible]nn had the added nervousness that comes with appearing in tights. She wore a blue skirt behind the scenes "to keep from catching cold," she explained. "How did I feel?" she said. "Why I felt like the 'Black Crook.' I don't see though, why people ever wore swords. I can't keep mine where it belongs, and every step I take I feel I am going to fall all over myself."

WHY DONOVAN SPOKE LOW.

Dan Donovan had the hardest luck story of all. In parcelling out the tights Dan struck a pair that might have fit him in his "before taking" days, for they only went on by a great deal of persuasion. That's why Dan spoke in a whisper. "I had to talk low," he said. "If I got loud and reckless I might not have heard the sound of ripping."

Dave O'Neil made a hero of himself in the first act, but the audience did not get on to it. He missed his lines, but instead of balking kept right on talking, improvising Shakesperean sentences until he got back to his text. When he came back he said, "I thought I was gone that time. I saw a girl I knew in the audience and she was laughing at me. I forgot my lines, but I flung in every Shakesperean phrase I knew until I got back to my line again. Scared? Well I was that, but if it hadn't been for that girl I wouldn't have been nervous."

GEHRUNG'S GREAT SCHEME.

"How did I keep from getting stage fright?" said Dolph Gehrung. "Well, it's a scheme of my own. I knew if I saw the crowd before I began talking I would forget everything, so I kept my eyes closed until my mouth was open, then I went ahead all right."

CARLIN GOT DESPERATE.

"It's funny how your lines come to you," [illegible]d Will Carlin. "I couldn't repeat a line [illegible] Gloster's speeches here in the dressing-[illegible], but they came on the stage with the cue, just as the gestures come with the lines. How do I feel? Well, how would anybody feel acting Richard for the first time? The sensation of fear is so big that it numbs a person, fright is in the background, a fellow gets desperate, that's all. The only thing that encourages him is applause. That braces a man up better than liquor, when [illegible] and don't get it, the sensation is like having cold water thrown upon you."

"I feel as much at ease out there as I would on the street," said Will Chandler. But for all that Mr. Chandler was nervous enough to carry a book around in the calf of his boot and when he wasn't on he was watching for his cue. Half the company were doing the same thing and they wandered about behind the scenes like monks reading their breviaries. Occasionally a scene-shifter would dash along with a fly and spill some noble lord or warrior across the stage.

Altogether the amateurs spent a jolly evening behind the scenes while they were enacting a bloody tragedy without.

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IDENTIFIED DIETRICK SCHOLING.

A Gillespie (Ill.) Farmer Drowned Himself in the Mississippi.

The body taken from the river at the foot of Chestnut street yesterday was identified to-day as Dietrick Scholing, a farmer living near Gillespie, Ill. Scholing left home two weeks ago to come to St. Louis to be treated for an ailment and was not heard from since by his family. He was 50 years old, and leaves a wife and six children. His son Frederick called at the morgue this morning and identified the body. It is supposed that Scholing's despondency led him to suicide.

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Louis Faulstich, with his wife and three children are sick and destitute in the rear of 714 Marion street.

Sarah Balsom and two small children are living in the rear of 1835 North Eighth street in need of fuel and food.

ANDREW CARNEGIE'S SON.

Arraigned in a New York Police Court for Drunkenness.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—Thomas M. Carnegie, who says he is a son of Andrew Carnegie, the Pittsburg iron king, was a prisoner in Jefferson Market Police Court this morning, charged with intoxication, and with him was arraigned David T. Jones, a cab driver, and Henry Small, a colored man. Carnegie was anxious to press a charge of larceny against the two others, but he had not sufficient proof. All three were discharged by Justice Koch.

It seems that Carnegie hired Jones' cab at the Imperial Hotel at midnight and started out to visit as many saloons as possible in the Tenderloin District. He had visited a number of these when, Carnegie avers, the driver stopped the cab while a strange man entered and took away his gold watch and chain. When he left the cab to chase the thief, Carnegie says, the cab driver held him fast.

Then the driver drove Carnegie to a few more bar-rooms and at the Imperial Hotel at 4 o'clock this morning Jones had Carnegie arrested for refusing to pay his fare. The cab driver says that Carnegie was so drunk that he suddenly rushed from the cab on West Thirty-seventh street. Thinking he was trying to avoid paying his fare Jones held his passenger. On the arrival of a policeman the colored man Small agreed to ride on the driver's seat to see that Carnegie did not try to run away again. Policeman McCormack at the Imperial Hotel decided to arrest all three men.

Carnegie is a blonde with a refined face and has been leading a rather gay life in New York for several weeks.

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Marsh—Eldredge.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place last evening at Benton. The contracting parties were Miss Emma Eldredge, daughter of Judge Eldredge of Golconda, Ill., and Mr. W. W. Marsh, a lumber merchant of Little Rock, Rev. Dr. Miller performing the ceremony. It was a pink and white chrysanthemum wedding. The decorations were of these flowers. The bride looked charming in her bridal dress of purple cloth, trimmed in elegant black satin and lace, with hat and gloves to match. After an elegant repast the bridal couple left for their lovely new home in Little Rock, where a large reception will be given in their honor.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

NOTICE—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the St. Louis Sectional Dock Co. will be held at the office of the company, at the foot of Marceau street, South St. Louis, Mo., on Thursday, Nov. 16, 1893, for the purpose of electing five directors to serve during the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them. Polls open from 9 o'clock a. m. to 12 o'clock m. By order H. B. LOUDERMAN, President.
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A CRANK AND A BOMB.

Demands $50,000 From a Cleveland Man and Was Promptly Floored.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 10.—A crank called at the office of Myron Herrick, Secretary and Treasurer of the Society for Savings, at 12:15 o'clock to-day, and, with a dynamite bomb in one hand and a revolver in the other, demanded $50,000.

Mr. Herrick responded by promptly knocking the man down and grappling with him on the floor. While in this position the crank fired a shot at Mr. Herrick, the bullet passing through his coat.

The fellow then jumped through a window and escaped.

WRECK AT FORT WAYNE.

Pennsylvania Limited Ran Into an Open Switch.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Nov. 10.—Train No. 5, the west-bound Pennsylvania limited, ran into an open switch in the yards in this city at 7:30 this morning and crashed into some freight cars. Engineer David Raidy, Fireman Robert Griffin and Joseph Craig, Road Supervisor, were bruised, the two former severely, by jumping. Griffin is bleeding internally and is thought to be dangerously injured. None of the passengers were injured.

ENTERED A CONVENT.

Several Society Young Ladies Join the Sacred Heart Sisterhood.

Four young ladies, debutantes in St. Louis society, belonging to distinguished families in this city, have withdrawn from the world with the attractions fortune and position presented and chosen instead to lead a religious life according to the rule of Mme. Sophie Barra, foundress of the order of the Sacred Heart. The young postulants who this morning declared their intentions and received the habit of the order at the Maryville Convent were Miss Zoe Deloge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jules Deloge; Miss Adair Hardin, Miss Stella Vermeri of Collinsville, the niece of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Haydel, all recent graduates of Maryville, and Miss Annie Donegan, niece of Judge Taaffe of this city, who only last June completed the course of study at the Sacred Heart convent at St. Joe, Mo.

At 8:30, the time appointed for the reception for the candidates, a large number of friends and relatives had assembled in the chapel, and to the glad notes of a wedding march the young ladies, in full bridal attire, passed down the aisle to a position near the altar railing. White and gold vestments, palms and lights bespoke the occasion as one of rejoicing. Rev. Fr. Grimmelsman, S. J., was celebrant and was attended by Rev. C. P. Smith, Rev. J. Foley and Rev. Daeganhardt of Collinsville. Fr. Grummesman addressed the assembly upon the nature and work of a religious life. At the conclusion of the ceremony there was a social reception in the parlors of the convent.

W. H. DURHAM ASSIGNS.

The Liabilities Will Probably Reach $200,000—Assets Unknown.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Nov. 10.—It was learned by the POST-DISPATCH correspondent to-day that W. H. Durham, who until a few days ago was President of the First National Bank of this city, made an assignment last night to O. M. Gregg. Mr. Durham was owner of the Muncie Nailworks, and was surety for Frank P. Nelson and J. T. Darnell of Greencastle, who failed. Their failure is supposed to have caused Mr. Durham to make the assignment. The liabilities and assets are unknown, but it is thought the liabilities will reach $200,000, with assets sufficient to meet them.

ERRORS OF SPEECH.

A Number That Have Been Eradicated and New Ones That Are Appearing.

From the Pall Mall Gazette.

In English a great number of errors have been so well reproved that they are growing rarer. "And which," and the false collocation of "only," which a few years ago were everywhere, are sometimes hardly to be met with in the whole of a leading article. On the other hand, new outrages are gradually getting common. "Infer," for "imply," which would, some little time ago, have been smiled at as a mere vulgarism, is incredibly frequent in conversation and by no means unknown in print.

But far more hideous is "human" for human being. And this has appeared of late in London newspapers that ought to know better. Our own complaints as to this offense have been merely a plea that the word so used is English poetry as well as colonial prose, and may be found in the poems of Mrs. Browning. Obviously, however, she uses "the human" not in place of "the man," but precisely as "the beautiful," "the true," were so constantly used by the ante-penultimate Lord Lytton.

New follies are the more to be resisted as the language of the press is shedding old ones and is gaining much in simplicity. The jaded phrase being spent, is at last allowed to drop out and die. And with it will, by degrees, pass away the habit of exaggeration, boisterous, cold, disappointing, from which a reader turns with chilly disapproval. The weak exaggerate often, and the strong exaggerate now and then. Exaggeration is quite a different thing from extravagance, violence, delirium. These may lawfully claim their moment in art. But they can never cover or disguise the intrusion of exaggeration, instantly unmistakable and forever unpardonable.

Then there is the opposite of exaggeration, which is not less mischievous, but sillier. It is not common in literature, but it is a most familiar note in a certain kind of respectable journalism. There is an excellent instance in Tuesday's *Times* (Duke Ernest's biographer is describing that Prince's action and influence as contributory to the work of German unity): "The remark of the Emperor William to him at Versailles, 'This I owed partly to you,' was in a certain measure justified."

The jaded phrase, the silly phrase and the phrase of exaggeration are to be avoided simply by simplicity. To attend, to wait upon what you really think; not to interrupt yourself with too loud a word; not to translate your uncertainty by too pat a phrase, your moderation by one too emphatic—to do thus much is to lend an effectual hand in a work that has become greatly necessary.

In the use of compound words from foreign languages it is often the important half that is dropped in brevity. Un billet de sleeping is the current phrase that meets the traveler; so in une bouteille de pate. In like manner you may hear the Englishman (perhaps a little doubtful as to the pronunciation of the other word) ask you how you like "Rusticana."

A Vague Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 10.—The State Department to-day received a dispatch from Minister Young, in regard to the firing on the Costa Rica at Amapala, but it was so vague that the minister has been directed to repeat his message in explicit terms.

A Capricious Appetite.

From Harper's Bazar.

"Is your appetite capricious?" asked the physician who had been called in to see Farmer Meddergrass.

"That's what it is, doctor," replied the granger. "Some days I eat liver and bacon all right, and then again it seems as if nothin' would do but corned beef an' cabbage or [illegible] an sassiges."

UNPROFITABLE LABOR.

Work Which Did Not Pay the Price of Securing It.

A delegation of about twenty workingmen called at the Four Courts to-day and wanted to get a warrant against Van Alstine & Morris, who conduct a labor agency at 319 Washington avenue. Nicholas Schopp, Wm. Rice, William Woodward and Alfred Bradstone acted as spokesmen and said that on Tuesday a batch of sixty men were sent by Van Alstine & Morris to Bonne Terre, Mo., to work on a railroad. Each of the men had paid the labor agency $1 each. When they arrived at Bonne Terre they were put to work broadening the guage of the St. Louis & Bonne Terre railroad, a branch road about three and one-half miles from Bonne Terre. A number of men engaged at the work when the St. Louis batch arrived, were discharged, but whether to make room for the new comers the St. Louis men did not know. The work gave out yesterday, and the men were paid off after having worked something over a day, they state. The men were paid at the rate of $1.25 a day and were charged $1.10 each for board and lodging, they state. The board consisted of bread and meat, which were kept in a box and served without dishes, knives or forks. The only sleeping accommodations furnished, they allege, were empty box cars without bedding or blankets. When the men's board was deducted from the amounts coming to them, they claim they received sums ranging from 15 to 50 cents each. Some of the men threw the change at the paymaster, they aver. A man named Burns was in charge of the work. No means of transportation was furnished the men back to St. Louis they claim, and say they went to Riverside, a point on the Iron Mountain road, and boarded a passenger train which stopped at the place last night. About forty of the men came to St. Louis, arriving here this morning. The remainder waited for the next train. On arriving in St. Louis the men went to the labor agency office, and demanded their money back. This was refused them, the labor agency men stating that they had fulfilled their contract and furnished them work, and that it was not their fault if the work did not last. The men then went to the Mayor and stated their case. The Mayor referred them to Chief of Police Harrigan, who sent them to the Prosecuting Attorney's office. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Estep told them that he could do nothing, as they had no case against the labor agency. The men left the building and made another demand on Van Alstine & Morris, without any result, and returned to the Four Courts a second time and complained to Chief of Detectives Desmond, who sent a detective with them a second time to the Prosecuting Attorney's office, but no warrant would be issued. The men finally left the Four Courts in a very bad frame of mind.

NATIONAL METHODIST SOCIETY.

Apportionment of Funds Among the Various Missions.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 10.—Bishop Merrill presided at the second day's session of the National Methodist Society to-day. The business of the day was the apportionment among the various missions of the $1,100,000 voted yesterday for coming year's work. A general reduction of one-ninth was ordered on all amounts asked and reductions were made in other ways wherever possible. So far apportionments have been made in the Welsh and Scandinavian missions.

MAY BE ILLEGAL.

Consternation in New Jersey Results From a Supreme Court Ruling.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 10.—The decision of the Supreme Court of this State yesterday declaring the present legislative apportionment act unconstitutional has caused great consternation among the lawyers and politicians at the capital and will cause restlessness among the assembly men elect.

Gov. Wertz, Justice Abbett of the Supreme Court, and prosecutor of the Pleas Bayard Stockton were in conference on this important subject yesterday, but would not disclose their conclusions. Assistant Prosecutor W. Holt Aperger said:

"It appears from the decision rendered by the Supreme Court that the only legally elected members of the Assembly were those from the seven counties of Atlantic, Cape May, Gloucester, Ocean, Salem, Somerset and Sussex. This being so, under section 188 of the election law, Revision of New Jersey, page 361, it is mandatory upon the Governor to call special elections in each of the counties where there are no legally elected members. If the Governor should be advised by the Attorney-General that this was the correct view of the case, then the election of Tuesday in all the other counties saving the seven mentioned above for members of the Assembly is void and in each of these counties a ticket would be formed, including the names of the entire number of candidates for the Assembly in the county and be voted for by every voter in the county."

ANCIENT CIVILIZATION.

Manners and Customs of People 3,500 Years Ago.

From the Edinburgh Review.

We have become possessed of certain very important indications as to the early civilization of Palestine by means of clay tablets. Not that the object so attained is altogether new or that it conflicts with that which has been deduced from yet earlier Egyptian records. It is well known to scholars that Thothmes III., when he defeated the league of Hittites and the Phœnicians at Megiddo in 1600 B. C. (a century before Amenophis III. acceded), reaped a spoil which indicates the advanced civilization of Syria, including not only the precious metals and chariots painted and plated, but also objects of art having a high æsthetic value; and that he found corn, wine and oil abundant in the country, and many hundreds of walled towns, in which were already temples of the gods. Such evidence has, however, been slighted by those who regard the Hebrews as savages, and who think that though placed in the very center of the ancient civilized world, between the Egyptians and the Assyrians, they were, nevertheless, unacquainted with any arts and uninfluenced by the surrounding culture.

The new discoveries insist on quite another understanding of their ancient history. It is surely a lesson of humility that the modern student should learn from such discoveries. Voltaire was no doubt a writer of great originality and acumen, though from our present standpoint, wonderfully ignorant of antiquity. He finds it hard to believe that Homer's poems could have been written down before 500 B. C., and asserts that papyrus had not been invented at the time Moses, though we now possess in the maxim's of Ptah-hotep a manuscript as old as the pyramids.

We find, on the contrary, that not only in Egypt or in Mesopotamia was the art of writing known in the time of Moses, but the inhabitants of Palestine also could pen a brick epistle which in the space of a few inches contained as much information as can now be condensed into a sheet of note paper. Such letters were neither heavy nor bulky, and could be carried in the turban or in the folds of the shirt-bosom just as easy as paper letters are now so carried; with the additional advantage that they were imperishable, as is witnessed by the fact that they are now being read 3,400 years after they were written.

A Woman's Heart.

She (gently): "I am afraid I do not love you enough to be your wife, but I shall always be your friend, and sincerely wish for your happiness.

He (moodily): "I know what I'll do."

She (anxiously): "You surely will not do yourself an injury?"

He (calmly): "No; I will find happiness. I will marry some one else.

She—Horrors! "Give me another day to consider, dear."

Encouraging an Author.

Manuscript Reader: "Here is a manuscript from some writer I never heard of."

Great Magazine Editor: "Well, no use discouraging the poor fellow. Kick it around the floor so it will look as if it had been carefully read, and send it back."

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A portion of the list is given each week. Already several installments have been given, and below will be found a list of the works from which selection may be made be made this week. Additions to the list will be given from time to time until the whole 200 titles have been published.

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The list of volumes from which selection may be made this week is as follows:

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Wit, Humor and Pathos, by Eli Perkins.
Fair Women, by Mrs. Forrester.
Far From the Madding Crowd, by Thos. Hardy.
Masterman Ready, by Capt. Marryatt.
Henry Esmond, by Thackeray.
In Peril of His Life, by Emile Gaboriau.
Lorna Doone, by R. D. Blackmore.
Harry Lorrequer, by Chas. Lever.
The Egoist, by Geo. Meredith.
File No. 113, by Emile Gaboriau.
John Halifax, by Miss Mulock.
Hypatia, by Chas. Kingsley.
Lady Castlemaine's Divorce, by B. M. Clay.
Molly Bawn, by The Duchess.
Guy Mannering, by Scott.
March in the Ranks, by Jessie Fothergill.
Knight Errant, by Edna Lyall.
A Hardy Norseman, by Edna Lyall.
For Lilias, by Rose N. Carey.
Gilded Clique, by Gaboriau.

The Sunday . . .

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HER PRECIOUS BASKET.

She Treasured It Too Much to Let It Go Out of Her Reach.

From the Buffalo Express.

A fat woman stopped a down-bound Cold Spring car last night and climbed aboard as best she could. She was handicapped by her flesh and by a big market basket which she was carrying. The car was crowded, and she had great difficulty in getting into the vestibule.

"Madame," said the conductor, "I can find a place for that basket over here."

"What's that?" she asked, sharply.

"I say that I can find a place for that basket over here."

"Young man, I couldn't think of letting that basket go out of my hands."

"But you're blocking up the doorway with it there."

"I can't help that. I paid my fare and my basket goes with me. I would set it down, only I don't dare let it get out of my hands. Its contents are valuable."

"But you must get it out of the way."

The fat woman sputtered and scolded and wound up by saying that she would not put the basket down; she would not get off the car; that she didn't care if she did block up the doorway, and the conductor was no gentleman, anyhow, or he wouldn't speak to a lady about a little thing like a market basket.

"Madam," said the conductor after the fat woman had quieted down, "It will be perfectly safe over here in the corner."

"I don't believe it. I am afraid to trust it there. The contents of this basket are likely to get hurt down there under those men's feet."

And she stood there all the way from Bryant street to Swan, and every person who got on or off rubbed against that basket. The men swore and the women said "Dear me!" and looked unutterable things. And the fat woman hung onto her basket.

When the car stopped at Swan street an undersized man who was crowded into one corner of the vestibule said:

"Excuse me, madam, but if you won't consider it impertinence, I would like to know what you have in that basket that you are guarding so very closely?"

The fat woman looked pleased. "Well," she said, "I don't mind tellin' you, seein' you inquired. They's a lot of old magazines that my daughter let me take to read."

And the conductor swore seven times under his breath and then went out and said sarcastic things to the motorman.

Origin of the Cocktail.

From the London Daily News.

Turning from war to drink, we find that the origin of "cocktail" is ingeniously deduced. In Mexico they drink pulque, derived from the cactus. The Aztec for pulque is "octel," hence Yankee "cocktail." Octel was an Aztec girl who gave pulque to Montezuma. The monarch smiled, hence Yankee "to smile," to "take a smile." No authority is given. Perhaps the story is in Ixtlilochitl, the Macaulay of Mexico. As for "cobbler," 'twas a cobbler who brewed "cobbler's punch," hence "sherry cobbler." Here we may detect a "folk's etymology," for who answers for that shoemaker? "Julep" is derived from Arabic "julab," "rosewater," so they say. Chocolate is really of Aztec origin.

THE CALIPH OF BAGDAD.

He Gets Up in a Bad Humor and Makes Trouble for His Grand Vizier.

From the Texas Siftings.

One morning the talented and efficient Caliph of Bagdad awoke in a humor almost as bad as that of a man who is trying to write with a stylographic pen. He telephoned immediately for Abdullah, his Grand Vizier, who came running with his tongue hanging out.

"Last night," said the Caliph, "I had a dream to the effect that all the married women in Bagdad threw themselves on their knees before me and bewailed their condition. You are responsible for the welfare of my subjects, and I want this thing stopped, and by the beard of the prophet if you don't put a stop to it I'll put a period to your existence."

"Humbug!" replied Abdullah, "there is not one married woman in Bagdad who would swap places with any unmarried woman. They are all chronic kickers, but, nevertheless, there are some who are happy."

"Well, you find one and bring her here before the 1st of next month, or off goes your head under the civil service reform rules."

Abdullah supposed that in unearthing a happy married woman he had the softest job in town, whereas it was harder than tracing a lost umbrella.

The first call he made was on the Caliph's own wife. He supposed that she could not help being happy, but he was surprised when he found that she was the most miserable of her sex; that for abject wretchedness she captured the entire bakery and some of the adjoining buildings. She had discovered in her husband's pistol pocket a letter addressed to him and signed, "Your loving wooty-tootsy, Fatima."

We have no space to record Abdullah's failures to find a happy married woman in Bagdad. He finally said to his own wife, where he thought he had a sure thing:

"Emily, I suppose you are a happy woman, are you not?"

"I might be happy if I only had a husband who would supply me with a few decent clothes to wear. This is the third fall I've worn the same bonnet. Verily, Abdullah, you are no good," replied his loving wife.

Abdullah, perceiving that a great sorrow was gnawing at her heart, caused the conversation to drift into other channels.

As the first of the month was rapidly approaching, Abdullah began to listen to hear his own head drop into the basket with a nauseating reverberation.

"I'll let you off this time," said the Caliph, "because while you were off in the country I have discovered a happy married woman myself in Bagdad."

"Impossible! I've asked them all. Who is this happy woman?" asked Abdullah.

"Your own wife. She told me that she was always happy when you were out of town."

Too Cruel.

From the Detroit Free Press.

"I can't be your sister, because I am a sister to so many brothers now, but I can be your aunty," she said, as she gently dropped him.

"Make it a grandmother," he answered, grimly, as she spurned him from her forever.

HEALTH is better than wealth. Always use Red Cross Cough Drops. Druggists.

YELLOWSTONE PARK

Closed for the Winter and Left to Wild Animals and the Soldiers.

From the Butte City Miner.

All life and activity in the pleasure resorts of Yellowstone Park ceased last week, and the gay summer season at the hotels ended with the approach of October. All of the hotels and lunch stands have been closed for the winter, and the dense forests, great geysers and other natural attractions have been left to the wild animals that roam those vast domains and to the soldiers that are left there to protect them.

Manager E. C. Culver of the Upper Basin Hotel in the park is in the city and was seen yesterday at The Butte. When questioned concerning the park, Mr. Culver said:

"The hotel season is over and the buildings are all closed until next June. A watchman is left at each of the four hotels. They have telephone connections and mail is carried to them during the winter by men on snowshoes. The two troops of cavalry in the park will remain there all winter, but the small detachments of troops will be quartered at Fort Yellowstone. Patrols, however, will scout the park to keep out intruders until the snow gets so deep that there is no longer any necessity for it. Capt. Anderson, who is in command, is a most efficient officer and keeps a vigilant lookout for trespassers and intruders. He is generally recognized as the best superintendent that ever guarded and protected the park, and the complaints against him come only from those who do not know him or are prejudiced because he so thoroughly does his duty.

"There are five first-class hotels in the park, one at Mammoth Hot Springs, one at the fountain, one at Lower Lake and one at the Grand Canyon. The Yellowstone Park Association owns them all, and has arranged to build another large hotel at Upper Basin. These hotels are all provided with steam heat and electric lights, and are well furnished. On the Yellowstone Lake there is an elegant steamer with steel hull and screw propeller, which can accommodate 125 passengers. This steamer receives the tourists from the stage coaches at the lunch station at the upper thumb of the lake and conveys them to the Lower Lake Hotel. The Yellowstone Lake Co. owns the steamer, but has no other property in the park. The hotels and stage line are owned by other companies.

"The roads of the park are all kept in repair by the Government, but there is not enough money expended to keep them in proper condition. I should hate to see a railway or electric car line built in the park. It would soon destroy the wildness, which is one of the park's greatest attraction to visitors. Tourists all seem to enjoy the novelty of stage riding, and all agree that no railway should ever be permitted there.

When asked as to the probable number of wild animals in the park at Present, Mr. Culver said:

"Capt. Anderson estimates the number of elk in the park at 25,000 and buffalo at between 400 and 500. There are also great numbers of deer, mountain sheep and other wild animals. The military authorities are very particular about protecting the game. All campers in the park are searched for firearms, and their guns and pistols sealed.

"They take a description of all persons and their horses and note it down; also require all persons to give their names, destination, etc., upon entering the park. If there is any shooting or other violation of the rules the guilty parties are sent out of the park, and if game is shot they are placed under arrest and their property seized. A great many Indians hunt game outside the park, but that only has a tendency to drive it into the park, where the animals seem to know they are protected."

TENTS ON FERRY-BOATS.

German Soldiers Are Being Taught to Use Them for Their Baggage.

Some curious experiments have recently been made with the new tents which the German soldiers carry with them. The end in view is to make the tents, or rather their cloth, serve to construct ferry-boats for the soldier's baggage. The importance of this military novelty for actual war is too great to be overlooked. Pioneers cannot always be at hand to build a bridge in cases where troops are unexpectedly obliged to cross a water-course. To swim a stream in full accoutrements is not without danger even for the best swimmers.

In future, however, the soldiers will be relieved from this necessity by the folding tents which they carry with them. They will collect brushwood and small branches with which to weave a light framework; the tent cloth will be unfolded, laid over the framework and fastened to it in such a manner that the water cannot pass through. The men will then strip and put all their baggage and accoutrements into the sailcloth ferryboats, which will effectually preserve them from getting wet.

The soldiers then swim across, pushing the ferry-boats before them so that they will reach the opposite shore with all their belongings dry. These experiments have been made on a large scale by the pioneers during their recently-terminated autumn exercises, and have led to very favorable results, both as to the time required and the trouble occasioned by the transformation. During the maneuvers the experiments are being continued and extended to the various branches of the service.

THE RIVERS.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 10, 1893.

STATIONS.	Gauge reading.	Change in 24 hours.	STATIONS.	Gauge reading.	Change in 24 hours.
Pittsburg	6.5	-0.2	Alton	......	......
Parkersburg	7.3	†0.8	Pierre	4.0	0.0
Cincinnati	12.3	-1.5	Omaha	......	......
Louisville	6.8	0.0	Kansas City	6.0	0.0
Nashville	2.0	†0.2	Boonville	2.9	0.0
Chattanooga	2.4	†0.1	Arlington	1.5	0.0
Florence	......	......	Hermann	1.0	†0.1
Decatur	......	......	St. Louis	3.3	0.0
St. Paul	2.0	-0.7	Chester	......	......
La Crosse	2.2	-0.1	Girardeau	......	......
Dubuque	2.3	0.0	Cairo	6.3	-0.2
Davenport	1.4	0.0	Memphis	3.7	-0.2
Keokuk	1.2	0.0	Ft. Smith	0.9	-0.1
Keokuk Rapid	1.0	0.0	Little Rock	3.0	0.0
Quincy	1.5	0.0	Vicksburg	......	......
Hannibal	1.7	-0.1	Shreveport	2.1	0.0
Louisiana	1.2	-0.1	New Orleans	3.0	†0.1
Peoria	......	......			

† Rise. * Fall.

The river at St. Louis will remain about stationary till Nov. 14.

She Does.

From the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

"Poor Miss Grabb is a confirmed kleptomaniac."

Aunt Tillie: "Dear me, why don't she take something for it?"

A SERIES of three musicales will be given at Goldbeck College, 3033 Pine, Nov. 11, Dec. 2 and Dec. 16, at 8 p. m. Artists Herr Heberlein, Dr. Robert Goldbeck and the little artiste, Ida Bronel, will participate.

AMUSEMENTS.

COURSING MATCH.

The greatest of all sports. BRENTWOOD PARK on Missouri Pacific R. R., by St. Louis Coursing Park Association,

SATURDAY, NOV. 11, 1893.

At 2 p. m.

GREYHOUNDS AGAINST HARES.

Mo. Pac. train leaves Union Depot 1:25 p. m. for Fairview and Tuxedo Park.

Directions: Mo. Pac. R. R. to Fairview, Brentwood or Tuxedo; walk one block north to park, or drive out Manchester road to Maddenville, and one block south. 16 DOG STAKES.

Admission, 25c. Sports open at 2 p. m.

Women Who Smoke Cigarettes.

From the Boston Herald.

Women will smoke cigarettes if they wish to, and no argument against the little vice will stop them. Only one reason for its relinquishment can move them, and that appeals to their vanity. A cigarette-smoking woman eventually loses her complexion and the color of her teeth changes. In this age, when beauty and health are considered cardinal possessions, it is queer that a young girl is willing to run the risk of ruining both by a silly freak. A number of Boston women are known to smoke, but they do so under the rose, and hope, perhaps, the effects will not be observed. Don't flatter yourselves, mesdames; a tobacco expert has only to sit opposite to you in a street car to know what you can do in the cigarette line. Piquant? Very, and also offensive to men who believe in the sweet personality of women.

Marriage Licenses.

Herman Zohans	Honey Grove, Tex
Annie Siekendieck	Osage County, Mo.
Henry J. Korhammer	2010 Olive st
Ella Seegar	2619 N. 19th st
Harry B. Knox	1007 Pine st
Francis Moore	2359 S. 9th st
Thomas J. Cummings	1104 Hickory st
Minnie Whipperman	905 Hickory st
Robert Beyer	3619 S. Grand av
Ida Kiebling	2840 Pennsylvania av

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DEATHS.

Marriage, Birth and Death Notices,

When inserted in the POST-DISPATCH, will be telegraphed to the NEW YORK WORLD for insertion in that journal, without extra charge, when so requested.

GEOGHEGAN—On Friday, Nov. 10, at 2:30 a. m., JAMES GEOGHEGAN, beloved husband of Catherine Geoghegan, nee Kirk, after a lingering illness, in the 44th year of his age.

Funeral will take place from family residence, No. 1930 Sidney street, on Sunday, Nov. 12, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Agnes' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. Deceased was a member of Golden Rule Lodge, 266, A. O. U. W.

SULLIVAN—On Nov. 9, at 1:15 p. m., MICHAEL A. SULLIVAN, formerly of East St. Louis, aged [illegible] years.

Funeral will take place Saturday, Nov. 11, at [illegible] m., from family residence, 2154 School street, [illegible] Louis, Mo., to St. Henry's Cemetery, East St. Louis, Ill. Friends and relatives invited to attend.

WHITING—Nov. 8, at 10 p. m., Mrs. A. [illegible] WHITING, aged 64 years and 8 months.

Funeral Saturday, 11th, from 6219 [illegible] Take Suburban cars.

MURDERER HANGED

Miller Davis Pays the Penalty for a Cold-Blooded Crime.

EXECUTED FOR THE ASSASSINATION OF SHERIFF DOLLARHIDE.

Story of a Well Arranged Plot and Its Success—Davis' Cofnession Implicating the Hanna Brothers—Carried Off a Safe—Farmer Chloroformed—Crimes.

CENTER POINT, Ark., Nov. 10.—Miller Davis, white, was hanged to-day for the crime of murder committed near Chapel Hill, Sevier County, Oct. 23, 1892. Sheriff Callie Dollerhide, the man murdered, was a somewhat reckless and daring man. He was a fine pistol shot and the whole country stood in awe of him. He was brave, determined and had killed one man, an escaped convict, from Texas, who resisted arrest. He also wounded one of Davis' brothers, who was with the convict, and some think for this reason Davis helped to murder Dollarhide.

Davis was convicted mainly on his own confession. It was said that Dollarhide had sustained illicit relations with Miss Hardy Hanna and that he gave Davis $50 to marry her. The marriage took place only a short time before the killing.

Davis and two Hanna boys, brothers of Davis' wife, made a plot to kill Dallarhide. They knew he would be at the house of Mrs. Marm Jones on a certain night. Davis was to get him drunk and take his pistol away from him and the Hanna boys were employed to kill him.

Davis succeeded in getting him drunk, secured his pistol and sent word to the Hanna boys, who were waiting near by. But he claimed he was not present when the killing occurred. The Hanna boys denied the killing and were acquitted for lack of evidence.

Davis was tried last August, convicted and sentenced to hang on Oct. 6, but Gov. Fishback granted him a respite and the execution was postponed until to-day.

Davis seemed perfectly indifferent all along and said he preferred hanging to a life sentence in the pen. He is a young man. One of his brothers, it is said, was hung at Paris, Tex., recently for a crime committed in the Indian Territory, and another brother is in jail at Centerpoint charged with horse-stealing.

DOUBLE EXECUTION.

BERLIN, Nov. 10.—There was a double execution at Essen, in the Rhine province, to-day. An innkeeper named Ubbleun and a workman named Metzger were put to death according to the law for having robbed and murdered a cattle dealer.

ON THE LOOKOUT FOR ANARCHISTS.

PARIS, Nov. 10.—The French authorities are keeping a watch along the Spanish frontier in the hope of capturing the anarchists from Barcelona concerned in the bomb explosion in the Lico Theater there. It is believed that the gang of anarchists who were the authors of the last two outrages of Spain is the same group that was founded by Ravachol, after whose arrest they took refuge in Catalonia.

DRANK POISONED LIQUOR.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 10.—Mrs. Toole, wife of John J. Toole, the piano tuner of 88 West Third street, and her daughter Margaret [illegible] Wednesday night a few minutes after having drank some port wine that had been dosed with cyanide of potassium. Who poisoned the wine is as yet a mystery, though two sons and a daughter have been arrested charged with the crime. The husband and father learned of the tragedy for the first time last night, and fell over dead from the shock of the news. Another daughter is lying at death's door. Mrs. Toole has been in the habit of drinking a glass of porter every night for her health. Last night a bottle of the wine was brought from George Walker's saloon in the neighborhood by Michael Toole, who had been sent by his mother for it. He was met at the foot of the stairs by his sister Mary, who took it to her mother's room. Mrs. Toole broke the seal and poured out the fatal beverage for herself and daughter.

All the witnesses testify that the bottle was sealed from the time it left the saloon till Mrs. Toole opened it. The police are unable to account for it, though they have placed the three members of the family under arrest to await further investigation.

ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.

CAIRO, Ill., Nov. 10.—Howard Russell has been arrested and lodged in jail here on suspicion of being the party who turned the switch, causing a wreck on the Illinois Central at Ullin, Ill., Sunday morning last. Russell is a negro with a bad reputation.

CARRYING OFF A SAFE.

CHAPMAN, Ill., Nov. 10.—A bold though unsuccessful attempt at safe robbery was made here at midnight. Christopher Wright, who lives over his store, was awakened at that hour, and going to the window saw five men trying to take away a safe weighing 1,200 pounds. He fired five shots at them, but all succeeded in escaping. They had broken into the store and succeeded in getting the safe out into the street. In it was over $1,000 in gold belonging to a lady customer of Mr. Wright, besides several hundred dollars of his own money. On top of the safe at closing time had been left a package of money wrapped up in a paper. This package the robbers had cast aside when they took the safe out.

Mr. Wright, in speaking of the matter to a POST-DISPATCH correspondent this morning, said:

"I regard myself very lucky, and it was certainly a very bold and unique attempt at burglary."

No arrests have yet been made.

CHLOROFORMED AND ROBBED.

HILLSBORO, Ill., Nov. 10.—Henry Elvers, living east of this city, took a load of hogs to Nokomis, which he sold for $90. In the evening after he had left town he caught up with two strangers, who asked for a ride. At a distance of half a mile from Nokomis the strangers chloroformed and robbed Mr. Elvers.

"When I came to myself," he said to a POST-DISPATCH correspondent this morning, "I was lying in the bottom of the wagon bed, the team was tied to a hedge fence and my money was gone."

CHOKED TO DEATH.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 10.—A disturbance was raised at the meeting of the Salvation Army last night in their hall on Grant street by two small boys. Two spectators, Joseph Nesselhauf and Charles Jennings, attempted to prevent the boys being put out. A general row was the result and the two men were put out. Shortly after Chris Stars, a member of the army and 70 years old, dropped dead. The salvationists claim that Nesselhauf choked the old man, though the friends of the latter say not.

ATTEMPTED TRAIN WRECKING.

CAMDEN, Ark., Nov. 10.—Detectives are at work trying to discover the persons who attempted to wreck a north bound passenger train on the St. Louis & Southwestern railroad last Monday. An oak log was laid across the track, near this city, but the cowcatcher of the flying engine luckily ran under the obstacle and threw it aside.

HORSEWHIPPED HIM.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 10.—Mrs. Frank Tipton, wife of a railroad man, heard that Frank Beronius, an 18-year-old clerk, was circulating uncomplimentary reports about her and she visited his office and horsewhipped him severely. Beronius retreated when the assault began.

A DEATH SENTENCE.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Nov. 10.—John Dassett has been sentenced to death for killing Sherman Long, who was his rival for the hand of Clementine Doyoga, an Indian maiden, last Jan. 15. This is the first death sentence passed on a man in the Territory.

MASSACRED BY BUSHMEN.

VICTORIA, British Columbia, Nov. 10.—The sailors of the American vessel Leon Henri are reported to have been massacred by bushmen, on Pentecost Island. This is but one of a series of massacres that have recently taken place there.

FOR CUSTOMS FRAUDS.

ROME, Nov. 10.—Sig. Canilla, Inspector General of Customs, and Sig. Chauvet, Director of the Populo Romano, were arrested yesterday evening charged with being implicated in extensive Custom-house frauds.

BILL DALTON AGAIN.

ARKANSAS CITY, Ark., Nov. 10.—Bill Dalton, the noted outlaw, is visiting in this city, but s keeping under cover. It has been learned that Dalton's regular hiding place is at Willow Springs, in the Strip.

PICKSHER FOUND GUILTY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 10.—W. B. Picksher has been found guilty of the murder of Mrs. Jane Wright, who was choked to death on the night of Sept. 9.

THE COTTON CROP.

Government Report on the General Condition—Capital News.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 10.—The cotton returns of the Department of Agriculture for the month of November does not indicate a high rate of yield, but point rather to a diminished harvest as compared with that of 1892, which was less than any in the last decade. The causes of the light yield have been heretofore reported, namely:

Drought, excessive moisture in some sections and the ravages of the insect enemy of the plant and other causes. Local estimates vary in range from one-fourth to three-quarters of a full crop. Weather in entire cotton belt has generally been favorable to picking, and the department is advised that a large part of the crop has been secured and a considerable portion marketed.

The indicated yield, as averaged from the country estimates, apparent errors being eliminated, averaged 148.8 pounds per acre, distributed by States as follows: Virginia, 153; North Carolina, 184; South Carolina, 142; Georgia, 136; Florida, 82; Alabama, 148; Mississippi, 143; Louisiana, 175; Texas, 151; Arkansas, 174; Tennessee, 138.

A severe frost has not yet been general. It is possible that the reported expectations may be exceeded.

PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 10.—The President made the following appointments to-day:

To be Registers of Land Offices—Frank M. Hopkins of Roscoe, S. D., at Aberdeen, S. D.; Frank D. Walls of Phœnix, Ariz., at Tucson; John C. Slack of Folsom, N. M., at Clayton, N. M.

To be Receivers of Public Moneys—Frank M. Brown of Alliance, Neb., at Alliance, Neb., and Jos. H. Allenden of Clayton, N. M., at Clayton, N. M.

Charles D. Rogers of Sitka, Alaska, to be Clerk of the District Court for the District of Alaska.

For members of the California Debris Committee (left unconfirmed by the Senate and reappointed), Col. George H. Mendell, Lieut. Wm. H. Renyaurd and Maj. Wm. H. Huer, all of the engineer corps.

MORE LAND TO BE OPENED.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 10.—The Interior Department is making preparations to open some fine land in the Kickapoo country. While it is the desire of certain parties to have this land opened for settlement right away...[illegible] the opening of the Wichita, Comanche and Kiowa reservations, which will be opened for settlement early next spring.

PAUNCEFOTE'S GUEST.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 10.—Florence O'Driscoll, member of the British Parliament and England's World's Fair Commissioner, is a guest of Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Ambassador.

CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW.

List of To-Day's Prize Winners at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 10.—The feature to-day at the chrysanthemum show was the awarding of prizes for table decorations. Five prominent Chicago ladies were chosen as judges, among them Mrs. Potter Palmer. The tables were divided into two classes, one including decorations in all kinds of flowers and the other consisting of those decorated with chrysanthemums only. In the latter class J. M. Gassee of Cleveland was given first prize; Ella Grant Wilson of Cleveland, second; Aug. S. Swanson of St. Paul, third. In the class first named all the prize winners were Chicago people. C. A. Samuelson received first, Joseph Curran second, and P. J. Hauswirth third. The displays were unusually fine and a large crowd was in attendance.

Has Not Committed Suicide.

Nothing has yet been heard from Philip Stockman of 4710 South Compton avenue, who mysteriously disappeared eight days ago. His family do not incline to the suicide theory, notwithstanding the letters left by him in which he announced his intention of doing away with himself. They surmise that he has gone to Tennessee, where he has a friend. Prior to his exit he made many inquiries concerning the South and the cost of traveling, and when he left home he had not forgotten to collect all the money owed him.

Heart Beat of 250.

Dr. Marks has a patient at the City Hospital whose heart beats 250 times per minute. The patient's name is George Adams and he is a laborer, 60 years old. The case is very peculiar and exceedingly interesting. Adams has stomach trouble which has caused an irritation of the pneuogastric nerve and indirectly of the heart.

Stabbed in the Thigh.

Joseph Collet of 1447 North Fifteenth street quarreled with Charles Martin of 2240 Sullivan avenue, at Cass avenue and Fifteenth street, last night, and the latter was stabbed in the left thigh.

Adjudged Insane.

VIRGINIA, Ill., Nov. 10.—Robert McNew, for many years a citizen of Beardstown, Ill., and Wm. J. Criswell, a prosperous farmer of the northern part of the county, were adjudged insane in Judge Phillip's court.

SAVE doctor's bills by taking in time Red Cross Cough Drops. Sold everywhere.

Will Be Cremated.

The remains of James R. Collins, who was killed by C. C. McCafferty in East St. Louis Wednesday night, are to be cremated. The body is now in East St. Louis, but will be brought to St. Louis for cremation at the Missouri Crematory on Sublette avenue Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Week's Failures.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—R. G. Dun's statement, to be issued to-morrow, will place the number of failures in the United States for the past week at 361 and 27 in Canada, against 358 in the United States for the preceding week and 28 in Canada, and 210 in the United States and 26 in Canada for the corresponding period last year.

ROUND trip Denver ticket will be presented to first person giving dates on which Burlington Route ad. is omitted during 1893.

VIEWING PAVING.

A Delegation From Minneapolis in the City To-Day.

THEY ARE MAKING INVESTIGATIONS INTO MATERIALS FOR STREETS.

Claim That Asphalt Has Proved a Failure in Their City—The Visiting Aldermen and Officials Get Information at the City Hall About the Materials Used in Streets Here.

A delegation of twenty aldermen and city officials from Minneapolis, headed by Mr. Joseph L. Kilchli, President of the Council and Acting Mayor, arrived here this morning, and after registering and breakfasting at the Laclede visited the City Hall. The main object the gentlemen had in view was to obtain information relative to the cost, durability, etc., of the various pavements of St. Louis.

As a meeting of the Board of Public Improvements was being held at the time the delegation was invited to attend, and Street Commissioner Murphy addressed the members at some length. He described the kinds and cost of the different pavements in use and answered a number of questions asked in relation to them.

They were very particular in their inquiries as to the experience of the city with vitrified brick pavements. As but one piece of this kind of pavement had been put down and it proved unsatisfactory, but little light could be thrown on this subject. The Street Commissioner thought it had not been given a fair trial and that the brick laid were defective. He thought the board would recommend the use of the pavement for many alleys and some side streets of the city. An informal discussion followed, after which the delegation thanked the board and went to the second floor to pay their respects to the Mayor.

Here a quiet smoke and a general conversation was indulged in for fifteen or twenty minutes. The gentlemen then went to the Street Commissioner's office where Capt. Macklind, Superintendent of Streets, gave them an informal talk and answered many questions. The members of the delegation are Joseph L. Kilchli, President of the Council; Aldermen Long, Ingenhutt, Jennings, Loye, Woodward, McGuire, McAllister, Schwartz, Rollings and Peterson; City Clerk Charles F. Haney, Building Inspector John A. Gilman, and city officials Snyder, Gaylord, Marr, Cramer, Schumpick and Skinner. Mr. W. G. McMurchy, a representative of the Minneapolis *Times*, accompanied the party. The gentlemen claim that their asphalt pavements have not given satisfaction. They can lay granite on a sand base for from $1.68 to $1.75 per square yard and wooden blocks for 85 cents.

They have visited Rock Island, Moline, Davenport and Galesburg, a large vitrified brick center.

At 1 o'clock on invitation of the Mayor the party was driven to the restaurant in Forest Park where a luncheon was served. After this they were driven around the park and shown such streets of the city as they desired to inspect.

They will return home to-night.

Board of Public Improvements.

The Board of Public Improvements met this morning and after entertaining the municipal delegation and transacting some unimportant routine business, adjourned until Tuesday.

IDENTIFIED BY HIS SON.

It Was Diederich Scholing's Body Which Was Taken From the River.

This morning Fred Scholing of Gillespie, Ill., called at the Morgue and identified the remains of the white male floater found at the foot of Chestnut street yesterday morning as those of his father, Diederich Scholing. He said deceased was 58 years old, a native of Germany, married and a saloon-keeper at Gillespie, Ill. He left home on Oct. 23 to visit Dr. Blank to be treated for kidney disease. He failed to visit Dr. Blank, however, and it is a mystery to his son that his body should be found in the river. His father had never threatened to take his life. An inquest was held and the verdict, "Found floating," was rendered by Deputy Coroner Albers.

KIDNEY TROUBLES CAUSED DEATH.

Chronic interstitial nephritis, or kidney complaint was the verdict of the Coroner in the case of the unknown man who was picked up in an unconscious condition at Sixth and Spruce streets, and who died at the City Hospital last Wednesday night.

DIED OF PNEUMONIA.

This morning an inquest was held on the remains of Charles Walters, who died at the City Hospital last Wednesday night, after being removed from the Cherokee Hotel, where it was supposed he had partaken of morphine, a quantity of which was found in a bottle in the room. In accordance with the result of the post-mortem a verdict assigning pneumonia as the cause of death was rendered.

Were Contemplating Burglary.

Officer Maher came upon two men in front of Conrad Blumer's grocery at 2023 North Tenth street about 1 o'clock this morning, who ran away at the officer's approach. He pursued and arrested them, and asked them why they had run at sight of him. The men had been drinking and stated that they intended to burglarize the store. The men, who gave their names as John Baker Smith and George Reves, were locked up, and a warrant applied for against them to-day. The warrant was refused, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Estep stating that a warrant could not be issued unless an offense had been committed.

Grabbed a Book-Maker's Money.

While the last race was being run at the East St. Louis track yesterday Arthur O'Connor, a young book-keeper out of a job, slipped alongside of the stand of Book-maker Milton Josephs and reaching over grabbed a handful of bills and ran. A lively chase ensued. O'Connor ran like a deer until he reached the Pittsburg track, where a policeman headed him off. When captured he took the matter coolly and explained that he was out of a job and if he had escaped with the money he would have been fixed for the winter and if caught he would be sent to jail, which would answer nearly as well.

For Stealing Jewelry.

Warrants were sworn out to-day by A. J. Doyle of 3522 North Ninth street, against Davis Moore, aged 16 years, and Annie Henze, living at 812 St. Charles street. The boy, it is alleged, stole a watch valued at $50 and two rings valued at $5 from Doyle's sister, Lydia Doyle, who lives with her brother, and gave the watch to the Henze woman. Moore and the woman are arrested. The boy is charged with grand larceny and the woman with receiving stolen property.

Murphy's Sentence Affirmed.

The Supreme Court yesterday sustained the sentence of thirty years in the penitentiary imposed on Patrick Murphy in the Criminal Court for an assault on Mrs. Ellen Rose of Falling Springs, Ill., a year ago. Patrick Duffy, who was implicated in the crime, got fifteen years in the penitentiary.

Satisfactorily Explained.

From the Indianapolis Journal.

"See here," said the man who had married a widow, "hasn't your hair turned gray rather suddenly since we were wed?"

"Oh," said she, "that's from fright. I was so scared when you proposed to me, don't you know."

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IT WILL SHINE.

A Few of the Striking Features of the Next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

The people of St. Louis will find the next SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH more peculiarly interesting to them than any other newspaper in the city. It will contain for them stories commanding absorbing attention and some of rare historic value which have never before seen print. The revelations of the spiritual adviser of the assassin Guiteau, describing the life and relating the erratic and sometimes blasphemous conversations of the insane prisoner during the days just preceding his execution are given to the world for the first time. Democratic office-seekers in this territory will find information which will be of value in directing their efforts. The unique attempt of two murderers to prove their innocence by a resort to psychic investigation and a study of the questions which led to the war in Africa, in which 1,000 Matabeles were killed, will be a few of the interesting features of the paper.

With the extensive news service of the New York WORLD to command in addition to its own, the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH, will, without doubt, be the very best paper published in the West.

BULLET IN THE HEAD.

H. C. Neyland Grows Despondent and Ends His Life.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 10.—H. C. Neyland, a draughtsman employed by the Diamond Iron Works in this city, committed suicide this morning by shooting himself through the head. Despondency was the cause. Neyland's parents live in Denmark.

KEEPING BOOKS.

Original Method Adopted by a Boniface Who Could Not Write.

"Talking about book-keeping," said Milt Brisbane to a reporter for the Yankton *Press*, "there used to be a man in Yankton whose system of book-keeping accounts was wonderfully efficient. He kept a hotel and he could neither read nor write. He did not know how to spell his own name, but he did a thriving business and collected every dollar of his accounts.

"Once, years ago, when I first came to this country, I went to his hotel and stopped there two weeks. When I left he presented me with a statement of what I owed him, and it was a curiosity. He had copied it from his ledger. At the top of the sheet there was a rude picture of a soldier on the march, and after it three straight marks. Then there was a scene showing a man at table eating. Then appears a bed with a man in it. In the amount column there was a picture of a doll and after it the two letters RS. After the picture of a man eating there were forty-two marks. After the view of the man in bed were fourteen marks. I looked at the account, then at the proprietor, and told him that it would take me a week to answer that conundrum. I was completely stumped, and when that hotel man deciphered the amount for me it was this: "The picture of the soldier walking meant march, and the three marks supplied the date, March 3, when I began boarding. The man at the table with forty-two marks after it indicated that I had eaten forty-two meals. The man in bed and fourteen marks showed that I had slept in the house fourteen nights. The doll with the RS after it meant dollars, and in the figure columns appeared the figures 14, which was the amount I owed him. And it was a true bill.

INDIAN AND LIVE WIRE.

An Arizona Red Man Has His First Experience With Electricity.

From the Tucson Citizen

Since the weather has grown warmer the town has been overrun with hatless and shoeless Papago bucks, who seem to delight in loafing in the most frequented places and take a languid interest in whatever is going on.

A couple of them were recently indolently watching the stringing of the electric light wires in the vicinity of the post-office, when one of the ropes by which they are hauled taut broke, the end of the wire flying back and crossing other wires, received quite a current of electricity.

One of the bucks started across the street, and, reaching the innocent rope of bright copper, happened to place one bare foot upon it.

He gave a quick hop without uttering any sound and carefully examined his sole. He then cautiously approached the wire, daintily touched it with his toe, and immediately gave another jump. By this time his companion had joined him, and upon invitation put his foot squarely upon it, and was in turn intensely mystified. Both then suddenly recollected themselves. Gazing around at a number of spectators, and seeing their proceedings had been observed and evidently enjoyed, they quickly walked off to talk the mystery over in the neighboring corral.

IS NOT INSANE.

A Malicious Falsehood Denied by a New York Lady.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—A dispatch from Paris reported that Mrs. Charles Astor Bristed, mother of Mgr. Bristed, Private Chamberlain to the Pope, had become insane at Rome. Mrs. Bristed is not insane, nor is she at Rome. She is now living in this city at 8 East Tenth street and proposes to remain there. Mrs. Bristed said to a POST-DISPATCH reporter:

"It is a most malicious story, circulated by people who are unfriendly to me and it is utterly false."

Her husband's estate was once in the hands of Francis H. Weeks, the embezzler, now in Sing Sing State Prison, but she lost nothing by him. Mrs. Bristed stated that she was not now on terms of friendship with her daughters.

TEN MILLIONS IN GOLD.

A Penniless Man Earns Fifty Cents By Handling It.

From the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

A man strolled into the office of the United States Express Co. on Sherman street early yesterday morning and asked for work. He said he had not eaten for several days. He wore a clean shirt and looked bright, so the depot agent put him to work sorting freight. The man hadn't a cent. He borrowed a dime from a tender-hearted coworker and got his breakfast therewith.

After the frugal meal he went back to the freight shed. Pretty soon a train rolled in from the West, and the express cars were shunted onto the platform.

"Hop in there and help transfer that freight," shouted the agent.

In the new man hopped.

The car appeared to be an ordinary one from the outside. The sliding door was pushed open, and seven men were seated conveniently around the interior. Over the axles and trucks in each end of the cars were heaps of canvas bags.

"Catch hold and hustle," was the next order.

He, the penniless man, caught hold. He tossed the bags to another man a few paces off, who in turn passed them along. As each bag flew from hand to hand an ominous rattle and clink was heard.

It sounded like the beating of tom-toms to the penniless helper. Still he toiled on. Ah hour passed, and the last bag went the way of its predecessors, its canvas sides muffling in a measure the ringing sound as coin crashed against coin.

It was done. The agent handed the new man 50 cents.

"Come around again," said he.

Away went the man and filled himself with food. The agent went into the little office were the messener was checking up.

"That's the biggest run we've had in a long time," said he; $10,000,000 in gold, Whew!"

CHEAP TOYS BEST.

They Leave Room for the Imagination to Work.

From Harper's Bazar.

Who of us that remembers how the battered old every-day doll held that first place in our heart which the best doll, proudly produced on company occasions, held in our vanity, but will recognize the deep intuition of M. de Gourmond's assertion that the elegantly dressed doll, in all the pomp and circumstance of the shop, is once and forever only a fine lady or a peasant, a bride or a baby, while the every-day doll is "all that and all the rest," "according to the Divine inspiration given to the little child, which suppresses for her pleasure time and space, retaining only the idea, all-powerful in the art of metamorphoses."

To conjecture how much of nursery naughtiness is due to the misapplied indulgence of parents in the matter of costly and valueless toys would carry us too far. But surely M. de Gourmond is right in asserting that it is not without reason that children rebel against that "prison of the fact" to which, with their dolls that talk and steam engines that puff, parents condemn them in their plays as in their duties.

And looking into the ways of French children, we have a right to conclude that it is because the door to the ideal is still left wide open for them in their plays that they rebel so little against that prison of the fact which is more straitly around them in matters of duty and discipline than is the case with our own children. For the shop windows and M. de Gourmond to the contrary notwithstanding, it is certain that French children are far less indulged in the matter of toys than American children, and it is equally certain that they are far more easily governed.

Getting Rested.

From Truth.

"How long a vacation did you have?"

"Ten days."

"Got a good rest?"

"Yes, fine."

"Where did you go?"

"Saratoga, Montreal, Quebec, White Mountains, Bar Harbor, Newport, the Pier, and thence home."

STEPHENS FOR GOVERNOR.—Hon. E. W. Stephens of Columbia, Mo., proprietor and editor of the Columbia Herald, who is at the Southern Hotel to-day, will probably be a candidate for Governor at the next election.

WHYTE'S REPORT.

Condition of the Common Sense Building Association—Civil Courts.

Receiver J. P. Whyte filed his report of the condition of the Common Sense Building and Loan Association, of which Kate M. Blood was Secretary. The report was filed in compliance with an order from Judge Klein. The statements of the association's condition are as follows:

STATEMENT OF CONDITION.

Common Sense Building and Loan Association, Nov. 30, 1892.

RESOURCES.	
Loans in force	$3,785 00
Real estate	800 00
Charter and office fixtures	672 04
Expense loss account	2,692 88
Cash on hand	9 88
Total	$7,959 80

LIABILITIES	
Dues paid	$1,391 25
Premiums	87 50
Fines	57 05
Bills Payable	6,424 00
Total	$7,959 80

The amount charged in item charter and fixtures is of no value. The fixtures sold for $51 at auction.

ESTIMATE OF VALUES NOV. 30, 1893.

Charter and office fixtures	$ 51 00	
Real estate, not worth loan on same, $460	—	
Loans, if all prove good	3,785 00	
Cash on hand	9 88	—$3,845 88
From this must be deducted first lien on No. 2	500 00	
		$3,345 88

LIABILITIES.		
Dues paid by members	$1,391 25	
Dues on stock certificates	5,464 00	—$6,855 25
Excess of liabilities		$3,509 37

Alleges Habitual Drunkenness.

Dora Scott entered a suit for divorce from Robert Scott in the Circuit Court this morning. She married Robert in East St. Louis in 1889 and lived with him until Oct. 21 of this year when she was forced to leave him. Shortly after their marriage he began to drink, she alleges, and after that he continued to spend all his money on drink so that she was compelled to earn her own living she states. On occasions he would divert himself by beating her and pounding her in the face. She says he is now an habitual drunkard, for which reason she wants a divorce.

LICENSED OPIUM JOINTS.

Regulated by Law and Quite Respectable Resorts in India.

From the London Times.

W. E. Hoare, the Vice-Principal of the Wesleyan Mission College at Madras, relates his experience of the opium habit as follows:

"Toward the close of March a friend and I paid a visit to some of the opium dens at Madras. The worst was a filthy hovel. There were about twenty men crowded in two small rooms and about twenty outside. Some were not smoking; none was drowsy; all were awake and quiet. The place seemed decent enough to one who remembers the reeking odors, glare and language of a London gin palace. We read the regulations. It struck us that they might well be adopted by the licensing authorities in England.

"The proprietor had to keep a strict account of the opium sold and that remaining in stock. He was forbidden to take wearing apparel, etc., in exchange for opium; he was to sell only a limited amount at any one time—one tola's weight. A tola is considerably less than one ounce. The proprietor was further to allow no bad character in his shop, and to report to the police the visit of any such. The Government Inspector counts the number of smokers that he finds when making his periodical visit to each 'den.' This was the lowest den in the district, and we next proceeded to visit the best. This was kept by an intelligent Chinaman, who was dressed in the English style, spoke English and did not smoke opium. We found some men smoking ganja outside, and twenty-five smoking inside.

"Some were in the drowsy state, others were smoking quietly. Complete silence prevailed, and once more the contrast with an English beer shop was favorable to the opium den. In reply to a question as to whether the consumption of opium was increasing we were told it was decidedly decreasing. We learned that when the Government last put up the right to sell opium in Madras at auction no one would give more than 16,000 rupees. What, I ask, would be the feelings of a temperance advocate if he heard that in Birmingham, whose population is not greater than that of Madras, the exclusive right to sell beer for a whole year could not be sold for more than £1,000." This testimony coming from such a source is remarkable.

Equal to the Occasion.

From the Detroit Free Press.

"Have you 'A Heart to Love Me?'" she inquired of the pale clerk in the music store.

"Not on a salary of $4 a week, miss," he responded, sadly.

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AND STILL NO CHAIRMAN.

The Southwestern Traffic Association Without a Head—Railroad News.

The Southwestern Traffic Association did not elect a chairman to-day and the probabilities are that no executive officer will be chosen at this meeting. No ballots were taken at the morning session on account [illegible] various reasons, and the time was consumed in committee work. The former Chairman of the Association, Col. J. Faithorn, put in an appearance this morning and he was welcomed by all members of the association, over which he formerly presided. Col. Faithorn is of the opinion that none of the gentlemen mentioned in connection with the chairmanship will receive the plum. At 1 o'clock the session took a recess until 2:30 o'clock when another attempt will be made to elect a chairman.

Railroad News.

General Superintendent H. F. Magee of the Wabash returned to headquarters this morning from Chicago.

Assistant General Passenger Agent Crane of the Wabash is in Toronto, Canada, attending a meeting of the Canadian Ticket Agents' Association.

General Freight Agent H. H. Cartwright of the Alton is at St. Louis headquarters to-day.

President C. Perkins and Second Vice-President Geo. B. Harris of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy are at Burlington general offices to-day.

The Traffic Manager of the Seaboard Line, having been granted a leave of absence, H. W. B. Glover, Division Freight Agent, will assume charge of the office. Mr. T. J. Anderson will continue in charge of the Passenger Department, both reporting to Vice-President and General Manager. Mr. W. L. O'Dwyer, Chief Clerk to the Traffic Manager, will proceed to Atlanta and assume the duties of Mr. Glover.

BUGS AND REAL WICKEDNESS.

Inspiration for a Moralist in the Cruel Act of a Deacon.

From an Exchange.

"Confound you!" exclaimed a deacon, as a bug peeped over the top of his hymnal at prayer-meeting the other night. Then he raised his hand cautiously and brought it down quickly. The bug fell, crushed and lifeless.

"There's a lesson for you," said a student of human nature, commenting on the incident a while later.

"What do you mean?" was asked.

"Why, I mean that a bug or some other creeping form of life will always bring out the real wickedness of a man's heart. I make no exceptions, for I have found the rule infallible. That same deacon might stop on the street and protest with a man for beating his horse, and yet he would walk out of his way to crush bugs and worms with his heel. He regards all the smaller agents of the Creator as his enemies, and in his efforts to exterminate them he is cruel in the extreme?"

"But doesn't religion temper the wickedness in his heart?"

"No, not toward such as bugs. He might throw a hungry dog a crust, but if he should see a fly eating a crumb on his table he would smite it with a degree of satisfaction akin to barbarism. If you would make no mistake in judging a man's heart, watch his hand. Regard the man who brushes the harmless fly away kindly; but beware of him who brings down his hand on every little form of life that is cast in his way."

Snap Shots.

From Texas Siftings.

When a man begs leave to differ with you you had just as well let him do it.

Prafanity cannot stay the heel of the mule.

If Lord Dunraven cannot get the cup let him drown his disappointment in a schooner.

To the beefy mortal life is merely a cow path.

It is enough to discourage any funny man on earth to poke fun at an editor and have him refuse to take a joke.

We have cannibals in this country. The improved and enlarged Jersey mosquito is a cannibal.

After a youth grows old enough to pull the wool over his mouth he imagines that there is not a man in the land who can pull the wool over his eyes.

Modesty always charms, and that is frequently just what it is used for.

A married man makes a mistake when he neglects his sewing-machine for his typewriter.

Per capita—head money.

An enemy is a person who applauds you when you fail.

Opportunities do not light on an indolent mortal like friendly flies.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate conveyances were recorded up to 1 o'clock to-day:

NEOSHO ST.—[illegible] ft., city block 2718. John M. Wagelein and wife to Edw. Spangemann—warranty deed	[illegible]
MINNESOTA AV.—48 ft. Chas. [illegible] and wife to John Keller—warranty deed	[illegible]
W. BELLE PL.—25 ft. in city block [illegible]. John W. Keeshan and wife to Michael Hunt—warranty deed	[illegible]
JEFFERSON AV.—50 ft. [illegible] L. Scales to Dora Vorhauer—warranty deed	[illegible]
EASTON AV.—25 ft., block 62, [illegible] addition. Eliza T. [illegible] et al to Cornelius O'Brien—warranty deed	[illegible]
ARSENAL ST.—100 ft., city block [illegible]. Mary E. Mullen to Chas. S. Warner—warranty deed	[illegible]
WREN AV.—50 ft., city block [illegible]. Wm. C. Peggemeller to Edw. [illegible]—warranty deed	[illegible]
MINERVA AV.—[illegible] ft., city block [illegible]. Chas. F. [illegible] to Rudolph E. [illegible]—warranty deed	[illegible]

The publishers of [illegible]-DISPATCH reserve the right and privilege of [illegible]g or rejecting any advertisement left in the [illegible]ounting-room. In case of rejection money will be refunded.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Book-keepers.

THE Bryant & Stratton BUSINESS, SHORTHAND AND TELEGRAPH SCHOOL, OPEN DAY AND NIGHT, corner of Broadway and Market st. Personal instruction given in all departments. Book-keeping and banking taught by actual practice. Graduates are successful in getting employment. Send for circular. 36

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—By single man with first-class experience and bond a position as collector or salesman for good firm. Add. R 270, this office. 37

WANTED—Situation by highly educated young man; good penman; understands book-keeping, single and double entry; city reference. Address O 291, this office. 37

WANTED—Situation by gent of 20; willing and anxious to work at anything where advancement is open, or would leave the city; experienced in office and collections; first-class references and recommendations. Add. T 292, this office. 37

The Trades.

WANTED—Sit. by cutter, experienced in high grade tailoring; salary not so much of an object as position. Add. L 288, this office. 38

WANTED—Sit. by licensed engineer and machinist; can do repairing and pipe fitting; no objection to leave city. Address F 291, this office. 38

Stenographers.

WANTED—Position as stenographer; reference can be given. Add. Y 291, this office. 41

WANTED—A position in a law or railroad office by a gentleman stenographer 25 years of age; good references. Add. K 287, this office. 41

Coachmen.

WANTED—Situation as coachman; ref. 4376 McPherson av. 39

Cooks.

WANTED—A situation by colored man cook in private family or restaurant; city ref. Address A. Sanders, 26 Moore st. 40

Boys.

WANTED—Boy of 16 wants a position as collector, office boy, or any other position; not afraid of work. Add. R 292, this office. 42

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Position as head waiter by a first-class man with good refs. Add. S 292, this office. 43

WANTED—Situation by young man, sober and industrious; good refs. Address P 291, this office. 43

HELP WANTED—MALE.

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—30 salesmen to carry side line of our popular cigars and place sample lots with premiums; big pay. Dixie Cigar Co., Winston, N. C.

$3.00 UP—Pants to order. Mesritz Tailoring Co., 219 N. 8th st., near Olive, 2d floor. 4

$12.50 UP—Suits to order. Mesritz Tailoring Co., 219 N. 8th st., near Olive, 2d floor.

HAYWARD'S SHORT-hand and Business College, 702, 704 and 706 Olive st.; day and night sessions. Phone 479.

The Trades

WANTED—Glassworkers; a few more competent sober workmen will be given employment at blowing, pressing, finishing and gathering; steady work at good wages guaranteed to good men; applications will be considered and acted on in the order in which they are received, and in all cases should state the position applicant is best qualified to fill; references, etc. Apply in person or by letter, addressed to any or all of the following, viz:
R. J. Beatty, Supt. United States Glass Co., Tiffin, O.
D. C. Jenkins, Supt. United States Glass Co., Gas City, Ind.
Joseph Anderson, General Manager United States Glass Co., Pittsburg, Penn. 58

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Laborers.

WANTED—25 teams and 100 laborers, at settling basin; Chain of Rocks. Heman Construction Co. 59

Waiters.

WANTED—Experienced dining-room man; refs. required. Apply 2918 Locust st. 57

Boys.

WANTED—Boy of 16 to carry banner on streets at 1007 Franklin av. 61

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A live man of good address; apply between 8 and 9 a. m. J. J. Kelly, 1230 Olive st. 62

WANTED—A girl 12 or 14 years old to work in family of two; good home; German preferred. 1725 Coleman st. 62

WANTED—Experienced man with team to deliver coal; security for small amounts; must haul cheap. Add. E 292, this office. 62

WANTED—Life Insurance—2 well-appearing men to act as agents. Call between 5:30 and 6 p. m. to-day, room 708 Fagin building. 62

WANTED—By new baking company, young man with $200 in cash to take interest in and fill responsible position under salary. Address Y 293, this office. 62

WANTED—For the United States army, light artillery, able-bodied, unmarried men, between the ages of 21 and 30 years; good pay, rations, clothing and medical attendance. Applicants must be prepared to furnish satisfactory evidence as to age, character and habits. Apply at No. 904 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo. 62

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Clerks and Saleswomen.

WANTED—Position by young lady (German-American) in office or as saleslady; speaks German. Add. M 289, this office. 44

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—Dressmaker and seamstress wishes engagements by the day. Address 1122 Second Carondelet av. 46

WANTED—By dressmaker, who can make stylish perfect fitting dresses, few more engagements; terms $1.50 per day. Address T 290, this office. 46

Housekeepers.

WANTED—Lady with little girl would like position as housekeeper. Ad. Y 289, this office. 47

WANTED—Middle-aged woman wishes situation as housekeeper for gentleman in city or country. Add. A 293, this office. 47

General Housework.

WANTED—Situation as good housegirl; city ref.; at once. 4067 Chouteau av. 48

WANTED—Good girl wants situation; housework preferred. 2214 Morgan st. 48

WANTED—Situation by a lady to do housework or dining-room work. Address P 292, this office. 48

WANTED—Situation by steady girl to do housework; good plain sewer; reference. Address A 290, this office. 48

WANTED—A situation as housegirl; can speak German and English. 2220 S. 3d st., Miss Mary Weideman. 48

WANTED—Situation to do general housework in small family; Jewish preferred; small wages. Address L 290, this office. 48

Cooks, Etc.

WANTED—Situation as first-class cook or housekeeper for small family, city or country. 2079 Wash st., rear. 49

STOVE REPAIRS.
Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges of every description. J. Forshaw, 111 N. 12th st. 48

STOVE REPAIRS.
Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges of every description. A. G. Brauer, 219 Locust st. 48

Nurses.

WANTED—A girl wants a situation as nurse and also help in light housework; aged 16; please call. Exie Welcome, 1600 S. 3d st. 50

Stenographers.

WANTED—Young lady stenographer desires a position; experienced. Add. W 291, this office.

WANTED—Situation by young lady stenographer, with some knowledge of bookkeeping; salary no object. Add. 1525 Biddle st. 45

WANTED—Lady stenographer wants a position; willing to work without salary until familiar with work. Address E 289, this office. 45

Laundresses.

WANTED—Good laundress wants work for the first of next week. 207 Franklin av., rear. 51

WANTED—Situation by a steady woman in private family as laundress; city or country. Add. G 293, this office. 51

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—House cleaning to do by good woman; ref: 4376 McPherson av. 52

WANTED—2 girls want to get chamber work in hotel in or out of city. Call at 1103 Chestnut. 52

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

General Housework.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. 2209 N. 9th st. 66

WANTED—Girl to do general housework. 2413 Bacon st. 66

WANTED—Girl for housework and sewing. 1415 Morgan st. 66

WANTED—A girl for general housework; apply at 4222 Washington av. 66

WANTED—A girl to assist with general housework. 4129 Morgan st. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 4444 Laclede av. 66

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. 2017 Rutger st. 66

WANTED—House girl; small family and good wages. 2716 Franklin av. 66

WANTED—A German to do housework, washing and ironing. Call 3761 Pine st. 66

WANTED—White girl 16 years old to do general housework at 1007 Franklin av. 66

WANTED—Immediately, girl for general housework; good wages. 4409 Morgan st. 66

WANTED—German girl for general housework; 2 in family. Apply 3118 Laclede av. 66

WANTED—A good girl for general housework; family of four. Call at 412 Lucas av. 66

WANTED—Reliable girl for general housework; reference required. 2215 Olive st. 66

WANTED—Strong German girl for general housework; plain cooking. Apply immediately, 1213 Garrison av. 66

WANTED—German girl for general housework in small family to cook and iron. Apply at 1310 Missouri av. 66

WANTED—A good girl for general housework; German preferred. Call at drug store, Grand and Easton avs. 66

WANTED—A good housegirl in small family where there is a cook, laundress and boy. 3886 Washington av. 66

Laundresses.

WANTED—A laundress; reference required. 4069 Westminster pl. 67

Cooks, etc.

WANTED—A girl to cook and assist in housework. 1369 Euclid av. 68

WANTED—A cook and a housegirl immediately. 1609 S. Grand av. 68

WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron; small family; no outside work; $15 per month. 4933 Reber place, west of Tower Grove Park. 68

Nurses.

WANTED—German nursegirl for two children. 3041 Locust st. 70

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—Seamstress to work on dresses at 1007 Franklin av. 69

WANTED—5 first-class finishers at Premium Laundry, 1008 St. Charles st. 69

WANTED—Twenty-five first-class shirt makers. Premium Mfg Co., 1008 St. Charles st. 69

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Dining-room girl. 1516 Locust st. 71

WANTED—A good white woman to do scrubbing. Call at 1621 Washington av. 71

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen—You can earn from $5 to $15 per week doing strictly home work for us; no canvassing and steady work; send self-addressed envelope. Liberty Supply Co., Liberty Square, Boston, Mass. 71

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MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

WANTED—Medium-sized 2d-hand safe in good condition; state size, make and price. Add. H 289, this office. 26

WANTED—Machinery and tools for small machine shop, also punching press. Add. 1041½ N. Broadway, room 403. 26

WANTED—Fine bull pup, white, trimmed ears, age not 3 years, tail cut and good fighter. Call before 8 a. m., 3419 Chestnut st. 26

WANTED—Feather beds and pillows for the Second Jewish Hospital; will pay best price for used feathers; send postal. M. Bornet, 2312 Franklin av. 26

HIGHEST cash price paid for household goods and feathers by M. Durnin, 107 N. 12th st. 26

BUSINESS WANTED.

WANTED—To buy small retail coal business. Address D 293, this office. 3

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED—Nicely furnished room. E. Lottes, 700 N. Main st. 21

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

WANTED—Fur. room, quiet couple, with board for lady. Ad. N 292, this office. 20

WANTED—Board and rooms, West End preferred, by two gents; must be first-class. Add. E. R. Baker, 2227 Olive st. 20

WANTED—A small room well-heated, with good board, to a permanent tenant; location between Pine st. and Bell av., and Vandeventer and Taylor avs.; terms must be reasonable. Address L 292, this office. 20

IF parties wishing rooms and board or rooms for light housekeeping will send their address or call on E. R. Baker, 2227 Olive st., office hours 7 to 9 a. m. and 5 to 9 p. m., a list of desirable places will be furnished free of charge; no room agency. 20

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

HAVE party who wants to buy modern house not to exceed $6,000; will pay cash.
22 HARRY W. GRANTLEY, 715½ Chestnut st.

WANTED—AGENTS.

AGENTS make money fast by selling Scholten club checks for best Aristo cabinet photos for $1.50 per dozen. 1314 Olive st. 73

AGENTS—How would you like to make $250 before "Xmas?" We can put you in the way, and will prove it or forfeit $500; this announcement may be your stepping stone to a fortune if taken advantage of at once. Address "Manufacturers," Box 5308, Boston, Mass. 73

WANTED—Live agents to sell the Milburn computing scales; good territory, good seller, good commissions. 621 Wainwright Building. 73

WANTED—One agent made $10 per day selling club checks for Scholten's best Aristo cabinet photos at $1.50 per dozen. 1314 Olive st. 73

WANTED—A few respectable men to handle the smallest gas governor on the market; retails at 25c, reducing gas bills 40 per cent; deposit for outfit. Mr. Hall, 1013 Pine st. 73

$30 A DAY made by one lady agent. Ladies and gentlemen on commission to sell in St. Louis "The World's Parliament of Religions," edited by the Rev. John Henry Barrows, D. D. Call on C. D. Bellows, 403 Fagin building, St. Louis. For other Missouri territory address C. D. Bellows & Co., Maryville, Mo. 73

PROFESSIONAL.

INSTRUCTION given in china painting (Dresden method). 2338 Albion pl. 34

BARGAINS in typewriters; copying, 10c a page; depositions taken by an experienced court reporter; mimeographing. A. B. McDole, 509 Olive. 34

EDUCATIONAL.

WANTED—Dictation evenings. Add. F 292, this office. 29

NIGHT CLASSES IN DRAWING.
St. Louis School of Fine Arts, 19th and Locust sts., (entrance on east side).
Classes for 1893-'94 begin Monday, Nov. 6. Instruction is given in Freehand Drawing, Modeling and Mechanical and Architectural Drawing. The work of these classes is specially designed to increase the efficiency of artisans and others. Fees, $5 per term of 12 weeks. For further information apply at the School. 29

MONEY WANTED.

WANTED—$8,000 on down-town property. Add. Y 290, this office. 25

WANTED—$1,500 for 2 years at 7 per cent on improved real estate. Add. Y 290, this office.

MONEY WANTED.
$3,000, $5,000 and $7,000 on city real estate; security double amount of loans. Call for particulars.
JOHN MAGUIRE & CO., 107 N. 8th st.
Established 38 years. 25

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BOOKS of all kinds bought. Address or call; A. J. Crawford, 312 N. 7th, near Locust.

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PERSONAL—Louis: Letter in General Delivery Post-office for you. Olive. 1

PERSONAL—4613: Please see me Sunday; advise me by Sunday letter when and where. 1

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

ALL kinds baths and massage treatment; experienced operator. Miss Ruby May, 2204 Chestnut.

ANDRUS' electric belt, 107 N. 9th st., cures the sick, weak, nervous, pains, aches, etc.; write. 74

ARRIVED—Mme. Moss, clairvoyant, massage and magnetic healer, alcoholic baths. 2317 Olive st. Open evenings. 74

BATHS—Mrs. M. Bivin, 1124 Pine st., massage treatment; prof. attendants; lady operators. 74

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DR. MARY ARTHUR treats female irregularities successfully; receives and boards ladies in con.; reas. terms; bus. confidential. Call 2612 Wash st. 74

DR. ANNA NEWLAND, ladies' physician and midwife; treats and cures female troubles; board dur. con. Ladies in trouble call or write. 29 S. 14th.

MRS. M. EDWARDS gives massage, magnetic and electric treatment. 2217 Market st. 74

MRS. GARDNER gives massage treatment; first-class accommodations. 10 S. 22d st. 74

MISS CROWLEY, fortune teller, 1247 N. 8th st. Ladies 25c, gents 50c. Call and see her. 74

MRS. C AMES gives baths, massage and magnetic treatment; lady operators. 26 S. 16th st. 74

MRS. PARKER gives massage, magnetic and electric treatment; 1st-class patronage. 108 N. 22d. 74

MRS. L. HOTSON receives ladies during con.; reasonable rates; ladies in trouble call or write; take Market st. car. 2305 Market st. 74

MRS. DR. MARGARET DOSSEN, the great female specialist, 26 years' practical exp.; ladies in trouble will do well to call or write. 1006 Chouteau av. 74

MRS. J. SONNEN, graduate midwife, receives ladies during confinement; first-class accommodations at reasonable prices; strictly confidential. Call or write 1031 Park av.; take U. D. cars south.

1000 BUSINESS CARDS, $1; 1,000 billheads, $1.50. H. B. Crole & Co., 815 Locust. 74

Gold and Silver Plating
And repairing; cash for old gold and silver. Samuel L. Downing & Co., 210 N. 7th st. 74

STRICTURE Cure guaranteed; a new method; no cutting; no dilatation; information free. Century Chemical Co., 904 Olive st. 74

TREATMENT FREE
For all diseases; small charges for medicine only; 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. daily; Sunday, 9 to 12; no students. Policlinic and Dispensary, 813 N. 6th st. 74

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MONEY TO LOAN from $1 to $10,000 on watches, diamonds, jewelry, guns, pistols, clothing, trunks, musical instruments, etc. Low rates of interest.
S. VAN RAALTE, 12 and 14 S. 4th st.

A GENTLEMAN wishing to invest some surplus funds will loan $25 and upwards on household furniture and other security; parties wishing advances will be treated fairly and can secure loans on satisfactory terms. Call at 1015 Morgan st. 31

CONFIDENTIAL LOANS on furniture, pianos, building association books, etc.; no publicity, no charge for papers; monthly payments received, thereby reducing both principal and interest. J. W. Staley, 717 and 719 Market st. 31

LOANS on furniture in residence, city real estate and all good securities; fair and reasonable terms. Room 2, 904 Olive st. 31

MONEY loaned on clothing, diamonds, watches, chains, guns, revolvers, trunks, musical instruments, etc., at Dunn's Loan Office, 812 Franklin av.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FURNITURE AND PIANOS without removal, at lowest rates; business strictly private; can be paid back in monthly payments; call on us before borrowing. Eagle Loan Co., 714 Pine st., 2d floor, room 14. 31

MONEY to loan on furniture and pianos in any amount you desire, without removing property from your house; money can be paid back in installments and save interest; no commission or charges for papers; you can get the money the same day you apply for it. John C. King, 814 Morgan st. 31

DO YOU WANT MONEY
ADVANCED ON FURNITURE AND PIANOS?
Responsible parties can be accommodated with sums from $25 and upwards at low rates; no removal; business private; can be paid back to suit your convenience. O. C. VOELCKER & CO.,
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MUTUAL LOAN CO., 218 N. 8TH ST. Near Olive.
Money loaned at reasonable rates on furniture, building books, etc.; no commission; no removal necessary; business confidential; borrowers will receive the best terms and be treated right; loans can be paid off part at any time and save interest. 31

ST. LOUIS MORTGAGE CO.
Loans money on furniture and building books; can keep possession of your property and pay off loans in installments and save interest; no commission and business confidential; lowest rates in city. 813½ Chestnut st., second floor. 31

FURNITURE LOANS.
Money to loan on furniture at residence without removal; lowest rates; business strictly confidential. Union Loan Co., 1003 Pine st.

FORFEITED
A lot of diamonds, watches, jewelry of every description, guns, pistols, musical instruments, clothing, trunks, valises, etc. The above goods will be sold for the principal and interest due thereon.
CENTRAL LOAN CO.,
204 N. 4th st., 2d door north of Pine st. J. A. Brice, Manager. 31

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—90 yards velvet carpet, 2 bedroom sets, 1 dining-room set, 1 set dishes (complete), 1 range, 1 refrigerator. These goods have been in use only a short time; will sell cheap, for cash only; can be seen at 1704 Franklin av. 85

FOR SALE—To parties about to start housekeeping, two nicely furnished rooms and kitchen at a very reasonable price; everything complete and in fine order; death in family necessitates the sale. For particulars address R 286, this office. 85

FOR SALE—A fire proof safe in good condition, combination lock, inside and outside doors, pigeon holes, book spaces, two lock drawers, inner iron lock box, capacity 6½ cubic feet, occupies 36 cubic feet; a bargain. Inquire at room 33, 506 Olive st. 5

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Pianos. Sold by Kieselhorst, 1000 Olive st. 27

KOERBER PIANO CO.
1108 Olive st., sells the world-renowned Sohmer, the sweet-toned Wissner, the singing Krakauer and the popular Needham Pianos. We sell and rent pianos one-fourth less than other houses. 27

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE.

FOR TRADE—Income paying property for acre tract St. Louis County.
24 ROBINSON-FOGG-WILSON, 112 N. 8th st.

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And You Will Always Be Up in
THE NEWS OF THE DAY.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

12 S. 11TH ST.—Nicely furnished rooms. 13

14 N. 11TH ST.—Neatly fur. rooms for gentlemen; terms reasonable. 13

23D AND MARKET STS.—Two large unfurnished rooms, with mantels and closets. 13

121 N. 7TH ST.—Nicely furnished large front rooms; gas, etc.; rent low. 13

204 S. 16TH ST.—Large front room furnished for housekeeping, $2.25 per week. 13

309 S. 21ST ST.—3 nice rooms with hall, water and gas; keys at 305 S. 21st st. 13

510 WEST END PL.—1 block off Grand av.; fur. and unfur rooms. 13

513 S. BROADWAY—Nicely furnished front room for 1 or 2 gents; $1.50 per week with evening fire. 13

620 WALNUT ST.—Furnished rooms, $1.50 per week; single rooms, 25c to 50c. 13

802 PINE ST.—Nice furnished rooms. 13

914 N. 18TH ST.—Furnished room with all conveniences for light housekeeping; everything in good shape. 13

1109 WASHINGTON AV.—Furnished rooms, $1.50 and $2.50 per week. 13

1138 N. LEONARD AV.—1 fur. and 1 unfur. room, gas, bath and fire; with alcove; gents only. 13

1208 ST. ANGE AV.—2 or 4 unfur. rooms; bath and all conveniences; centrally located. 13

1222 OLIVE ST.—Nicely fur. hall room; $1.50 per week. 13

1316 CHOUTEAU AV.—Furnished rooms $1.75 and $2 per week to gent or man and wife. 13

1320 OLIVE ST.—Two nice rooms, everything new; prices, $2.50 and $5 per week. 13

1507 S. 8TH ST.—4 rooms, 1st floor, $13, and 3 large pleasant rooms, 2d floor, 1509, $12. 13

1513 WALNUT ST.—Nicely fur. rooms for light housekeeping; also hall rooms. 13

1609 OLIVE ST.—Nicely fur. front rooms; also housekeeping rooms from $2 up. 13

1738 DOLMAN ST.—First floor, 3 rooms, very light, with large closets, near Lafayette Park; rent low. 13

1806 OLIVE ST.—Furnished front parlor and hall-room; also room for light housekeeping. 13

2025 PINE ST.—Large 2d-story fur. room for gents or couple, with fire. 13

2105 OLIVE ST.—Nice rooms for gentlemen, with first-class attention; gas, bath, hot and cold water; 1 nice front room, with folding bed. 13

2108 CLARK AV.—Two neatly fur. rooms for light housekeeping. 13

2137 CLARK AV.—3 rooms, 1st-floor, laundry in basement, $13. 13

2223 RUTGER ST.—4 rooms, bath and water closet, 2d-floor; $20; separate entrance. 13

2330 OLIVE ST.—Hall room $1.50, 3d floor front $15, front parlor $22; all conveniences. 13

2607 LUCAS AV.—2 furnished rooms, complete for housekeeping, $15; 1 room for gent, $6; bath. 13

2612 CHESTNUT ST.—Nicely furnished front or back room for 1 or 2 gentlemen; gas, bath, etc.; rent low. 13

2634 OLIVE ST.—2 or 3 2d-story front rooms for light housekeeping. 13

2636 LOCUST ST.—Nicely furnished large front room; north and south exposure. 13

2640 LUCAS AV.—Two unfurnished rooms to rent; very reasonable. 13

2641 WASHINGTON AV.—Nicely furnished rooms. 13

2716 DAYTON ST.—Furnished room; southern exposure; private family; references exchanged. 13

2721 LUCAS AV.—Handsomely furnished front room suitable for gents; excellent location. 13

2830 STODDARD ST.—One or two 2d-story front rooms fur.; fire and gas; $10 per month. 13

2948 EASTON AV.—Suite of fur. rooms for light housekeeping. 13

3018 SHERIDAN AV.—2 large rooms, fur. for light housekeeping; $15; ref. ex. 13

3019 EASTON AV.—Front and adjoining room; furnished for light housekeeping. 13

3053 SHERIDAN AV.—Pleasant front room, facing south; gas and bath. 13

3123 PINE ST.—Nicely fur. front room, first floor; two gents. 13

3155 SHERIDAN AV.—Neatly furnished room private family suitable for two gents or man and wife; gas and bath; no children. 13

3330 PINE ST.—Large 2d-story front room, suitable for 2 gents; also small one. 13

3442 N. 11TH ST.—Furnished room. 13

3829 OLIVE ST.—Handsomely furnished front room, first floor, for one or two ladies. 13

FOR RENT—To transient couples, finely furnished room by the day, week or [illegible] A 291, this office. 13

FOR RENT—Ladies who want a finely furnished room, with privileges, will secure one by addressing X 290, this office. 18

FOR RENT—Gent who wants a finely furnished room, with privileges, will secure one by addressing W 290, this office. 13

FOR RENT—Two fur. front rooms for light housekeeping, with gas stove, hot bath and use of parlor, $20; quiet couple or teachers preferred; two electric lines: Compton Heights. Add. H 292, this office. 13

SMALL private family will rent single or suit of elegantly furnished rooms, southern exposure, first-class house and location, hot and cold water, bath, etc., to desirable parties; references. 3307 Lucas av. 13

WANTED—Room-mate by young man, German preferred. Call for one week 3332 Locust st.

9 ROOMS
For rent, on 2d and 3d floors, with hall, bath, gas and inside water closet; newly papered and painted. No. 103 N. 9th st., near Chestnut st.
13 KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

BOARDING.

105 N. 10TH ST.—Rooms neatly furnished with or without board; all modern conveniences.

119 S. COMPTON AV.—Nicely furnished front rooms; all conveniences; with or without board. 18

225 N. COMPTON AV.—Handsomely furnished rooms; first-class board; modern convenience; excellent location. 18

225 N. COMPTON AV.—Elegant furnished front parlor and 2d-story front room; the best table board, $4 per week. 18

810 S. 7TH ST.—A few day boarders wanted; everything clean and neat, with home cooking.

922 MISSOURI AV.—Neatly furnished rooms, with or without board; all conv. 18

1013 N. GARRISON AV.—Elegant front room; 1st-class table; terms reasonable; also day boarders. 18

1119 WASHINGTON AV.—Furnished rooms, with good table board at reasonable rates. 18

1201 ST. ANGE AV.—Nicely furnished rooms; table first-class. 18

1210 ST. ANGE AV.—Newly furnished front and back rooms, with board, gas and bath. 18

1334 CHOUTEAU AV.—A nicely furnished front room on second floor, with board, gas, fire and hot baths, private family. 18

1439 KENTUCKY AV.—Handsomely furnished room, with board; private family. 18

1612 LUCAS PL.—Nicely furnished second-story front and other rooms, with or without board. 18

1708 WASH ST.—Two rooms, nicely furnished, with first-class board; desirable. 18

2008 OLIVE ST.—Handsomely fur. rooms; all modern conveniences; board convenient; excellent location. 18

2113 LOCUST ST.—Nicely furnished rooms; first-class board. 18

2227 PINE ST.—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board; also hall-room. 18

2618 LAFAYETTE AV.—Near the Park, room with or without board. 18

2621 OLIVE ST.—Rooms, with or without board for gents; reasonable prices. 18

2621 LUCAS AV.—Nicely fur. front room; good board; comforts of a home; gent. 18

2622 LAFAYETTE AV.—Pleasant home for winter—lovely room, 2d floor; fire, gas, hot bath, 1st-class table; also nice single room; take 4 st. cable. 18

2628 LAFAYETTE AV.—2 lovely furnished rooms, 2d story and alcove, hot bath and first-class board; all conveniences. 18

2704 PINE ST.—Nicely furnished room, second floor, with first-class board, for two gentlemen. 18

2713 OLIVE ST.—Second story front room, modern conveniences, hot and cold bath, with first-class board. 18

2744 MORGAN ST.—Rooms furnished, with or without board; terms reasonable. 18

2808 LOCUST ST.—Nicely furnished single room; first-class board. 18

2814 MORGAN ST.—Neatly fur. room, with board, for 1 or 2 gents; private family. 18

2839 WASHINGTON AV.—2d-story front rooms, handsomely furnished; also other rooms, with board. 18

3406 CHESTNUT ST.—Nicely fur. rooms with all convens.; 1st-class board. 18

2904 PINE ST.—Furnished rooms with board. 18

2917 LUCAS AV.—Double parlors, partly fur.; also 2d-story front and back; board if desired. 18

2924½ CHOUTEAU AV.—Neatly furnished front parlor with use of piano, and board. 18

2931 MORGAN ST.—Nicely fur. rooms, with board. 18

BOARDING.

3010 CLARK AV.—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room; other rooms; board and day board. 18

3036 SHERIDAN AV.—Furnished or unfurnished 2d-story front room with or without board. 18

3328 PINE ST.—Furn. room, with or without board. 18

3424 CLARK AV.—Handsomely furnished room with board; all modern conveniences; good location. 18

3526 PAGE AV.—Choice room with excellent board; all convenience; terms reasonable. 18

3641 EVANS AV.—Fur. room, with board, for 2 ladies. 18

4108 PAGE AV.—Nicely furnished room with board in private family. 18

4427 N. 20TH ST.—Nice 2d-story front room for 2 gents or man and wife, with board. 18

BOARDING—Second-story front room; also large and airy room for party of gentlemen; best of table board; ref. exchanged. 3142 Locust st. 18

FOR RENT—Room and board for 2 gents at $18 each, near Garrison av., on cable. Add. F 290, this office. 18

FOR RENT—Gentleman and wife, or two gents looking for rooms with select board, inquire at 4001 W. Bell pl.; references. 18

LADIES and gents' dining hall; good board at reasonable prices. Grand Central, 2621 Olive st. 18

WANTED—3 young ladies for third story front room; good home and board. Add. E 292, this office. 18

WANTED—By refined private family young married couple or two gents; home comforts; terms moderate. Address S 286, this office. 18

FLATS FOR RENT.

1611 N. 19TH ST.—3 rooms; $11. 83

1754 MISSISSIPPI AV.—New 4-room flat, hall, bath. KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st. 83

1817 OREGON AV.—4-room flat; bath, etc. (83) KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

2101 MARKET ST.—5 room flat on 2d floor, with hall, bath, gas, etc.; rooms large.
83 KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

2345 HICKORY ST.—Nice 4-room flat. (83) KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

2808 WALNUT ST.—Nice 3-room flat. (83) KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

2825 CAROLINE ST.—4-room flat. (83) KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

3127 HENRIETTA ST.—Nice 3-room flat. (83) KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

FOR RENT—Furnished room flat, s. e. cor. Whittier and Lucky sts., $16. Inquire 4161 Easton av. 83

FOR RENT—Flats—Best of location and cheap, Grand and Finney avs. Apply P. C. Barnes, Clinton Pharmacy, Grand and Finney av. 83

FIRST-CLASS FLAT.
That elegant 7-room flat, with large front yard, reception hall, fine bath and furnace, eastern full side light, No. 4213 Olive st., only $42.50; or similar flat, 1st story, $40; separate entrances.
83 NELSON & MERRIMAN, 8th and Chestnut.

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.

1111 CHESTNUT ST.—Nice store suitable for office. KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut.

3032 OLIVE ST.—Attractive store; plate-glass front; grouted cellar; moderate rent.
NOONAN R. E. & INV. CO.,
17 800 Chestnut st.

FOR RENT—Four offices in the Ericsson, 2608 Locust st., especially suited for physicians or dentists; heat, light, janitor service, telephone free of charge. Apply W. C. McCREERY,
17 506 Security Building.

WANTED—Room with power for manufacturing. Add. 1041½ N. Broadway, room 403. 17

105 N. 9th St.
Nice large store for rent, newly painted and in first-class condition. Key at KEELEY & CO.,
17 1113 Chestnut st.

FOR RENT—DWELLINGS.

FOR RENT—New 6-room brick, 4003 Lincoln av.; latest improvement. Keys at 4007. 14

327 MONTROSE AV.—Cor. of Adams, 9 rooms with hall, bath, gas; rent $30.
14 KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

402 N. 11TH ST.—12 rooms, hall, bath, gas. (14) KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

1730 MISSISSIPPI AV.—10 rooms, hall, bath, gas. (14) KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

1913 BELLEGLADE AV.—4-room brick dwelling; front yard; side entrance; cellar; in good order; west of Grand near Easton av.
JOHN MAGUIRE & CO.,
107 N. 8th st.

2619 [illegible] ST.—Stone-front house, 6 rooms, bath, gas [illegible]

2714 GAMBLE ST.—6-room house; all conveniences; keys at 2710; rent $20. 14

2920 THOMAS ST.—Stone front, 6 rooms, gas fixtures and heater; adults only. 14

2920 CHESTNUT ST.—Stone-front, 8 rooms. (14) KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

3002 CLARK AV.—Stone-front, 9-rooms, large yard. KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut.

3960 DELMAR AV.—A nice 8-room house, with all modern conveniences; rent $60 per month. Apply at office of
JOS. A. DUFFY & CO.,
Telephone 752. (14) 806 Chestnut st.

4249 McPHERSON AV.—Nine-room detached house; nothing nicer in the city for the money. NICHOLLS-RITTER,
14 712 Chestnut st.

IMPROVED CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE

4212 AND 4214 LEXINGTON AV.—Five-room frames, cellar, city water, large lots; half block Northern Central electric cars; cheap; terms to suit; open. 7

FOR SALE—Lindell boulevard, 50x213, 13 rooms, reception hall; a bargain; only a small cash payment required. (7) NOONAN, 800 Chestnut st.

FOR SALE. 3858 PINE ST.,
West of Grand av., modern light brick house and lot; will sell at a bargain; good ground taken in part pay.
GAY & McCANN,
7 922 PINE ST.

FOR SALE—OLIVE STREET RESIDENCE.
New modern detached 9-room, Queen Anne dwelling; 40-foot lot; locality rapidly improving; you cannot miss it; terms to suit purchaser.
JOHN MAGUIRE & CO.,
7 107 N. 8th st.

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

OLIVE ST. CORNER
We offer at a special bargain the southeast corner of Olive st. and Taylor av.; granitoid street and sidewalk made. Olive st. is the best business street running east and west and Taylor av. is the best north and south street in the West End. This corner will soon be worth double its present price.
Rutledge & Kilpatrick,
8 720 Pine St.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

WHY wait until spring to buy a nice country home when $8,000 will buy two acres with elegant improvements convenient to two lines of railroad. This property is offered at 20 per cent below value. The improvements costing nearly the amount asked for the property. This will be offered for a few days only at figure stated. Address for interview W 289, this office. 9

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE.

$2.000 AND $5,000 to loan on city real estate; must be gilt-edge; call for particulars.
JOHN MAGUIRE & CO.,
31 [Established 38 years.] 107 N. 8th st.

MONEY TO LOAN.
We have money to loan in sums to suit on St. Louis real estate. HAMMETT-ANDERSON-WADE,
31 8th and Locust sts.

MONEY TO LOAN.
I have from $2,000 to $25,000 to loan on first-class security. R. M. NOONAN,
31 800 Chestnut st.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Fine showcase, suitable for druggist or confectioner. 1415 Morgan st. 5

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A complete 5x8 amateur photographic outfit. 207 Chestnut st. 5

FOR SALE—A few 2d-hand Baltimore heaters; will be set up in perfect order at a reduced price. 305 N. 12th st. 5

FINE FOWLS—White faced black Spanish, brown leghorns, light brahmas; also fancy pigeons of many varieties. Roesch, 215 Market st. 5

FOR SALE—Cheap, 3 nice hard coal base burners and 3 soft coal base burners and 2 round Oak stoves; all in perfect order; will deliver and put up free. J. J. Dockery, 3308 Easton av.

SEWING MACHINES from $7 to $15, all in perfect order, at Dunn's Loan Office, 812 Franklin av.

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Cigar store, cheap. 507 S. 14th st. 4

FOR SALE—All-night lunch stand, with an established trade; sickness reason for selling. Add. K 292, this office. 4

FOR SALE—A good man with $500 to $1,000 in cash can buy interest in an established manufacturing business, with good salary for managing office. Add. W 292, this office. 4

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Red Irish setter. Reward if returned to 3839 Olive st. 30

LOST—A small gold bangle pin; monogram C. W. S. Return to 2904 Pine st. and receive reward.

LOST—Black and white spotted fox terrier; name and residence on collar; suitable reward. 4040 Delmar av. 30

LOST—Dog—$5 reward will be paid for the return to 3209 Chestnut st. of large black dog; straight hair; white breast; answers to name of Fido. 30

LOST—A Japanese pug dog with brown marks on head and back, answering to the name of Ossie. A liberal reward will be paid by returning him to 4232 W. Pine st. 30

LOST—Wednesday night, to and from Grand, a silver bracelet. Finder will confer a favor and be liberally rewarded by returning to Westliche Post counting room. 30

LOST—Black leather purse between Olive and Delmar on Grand avs., containing laundry ticket, two bills, some small change and a few papers; liberal reward if returned. L. Kingsley, 410 N. Broadway. 30

FOUND—A pair of shoes that will wear 8 months for $4. Harris-Bunner Shoe Co., 520 Pine st. 30

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

Wanted.

WANTED—By responsible parties, one or two good horses suitable for light delivery or soliciting for their keep for the winter; will have good care and treatment. Address X 293, this office. 11

For Sale.

FOR SALE—A good plug horse, cheap. Apply 2427 Whittier st. 12

FOR SALE—Sorrel mare, 6 years old; perfectly city broke; lady can drive. 3332 Chouteau av. 12

FOR SALE—Wagons of all kinds in stock at lowest figures at H. H. Bothe Carriage and Wagon Co., 1319 N. 9th st. 12

FOR SALE—An elegant horse 16½ hands high, bay, sound and gentle, lady can drive; can pace in 1:9½. Add. Y 292, this office. 12

FOR SALE—250 new and 2d-hand open and top wagons, buggies, surreys, carriages, phaetons, carts, harness of all kinds. 1110 N. Broadway. 12

STORM BUGGIES.
12 EMBREE-M'LEAN, 1817-23 Olive st.

STORAGE.

STORAGE—Regular storage-house for furniture, pianos, vehicles, trunks, boxes, etc., safe, reliable, clean rooms, get our rates; careful moving, packing, shipping, etc., estimates free; money loaned. Consign goods to our care. Telephone 4122. R. U. Leonori, Jr., & Co., 1219-1221 Olive.

Fidelity Storage, Packing and Moving Co.
1723 and 1725 Morgan St.
Branch office—1003 Pine st. Telephone Nos. 2890 and 4101.

THE POST-DISPATCH receives advertisements for its Sunday issue, wants as well as display, any day in the week to suit the convenience of its patrons, with the assurance they will be properly inserted.

SUPERSTITIONS ABOUT BABIES.

Curious Ideas Held by Mothers All Over the World.

In Ireland a belt made of a woman's hair is placed about a child to keep harm away.

Garlic, salt, bread and steak are put into the cradle of a new-born babe in Holland.

Roumanian mothers tie red ribbons around the ankles of their children to preserve them from harm, while Esthonian mothers attach bits of assafœtida to the necks of their offspring.

Welsh mothers put a pair of tongs or a knife in the cradle to insure the safety of their children; the knife is also used for the same purpose in some parts of England.

Among Vosges peasants children born at a new moon are supposed to have their tongues better hung than others, while those born at the last quarter are supposed to have less tongue, but better reasoning powers. A daughter born during the waxing moon is always precocious.

At the birth of a child in Lower Brittany the neighboring women take it in charge, wash it, crack its joints and rub its head with oil to solder the cranium joints. It is then wrapped in a tight bundle, and its lips are anointed with brandy to make it a full Breton.

The Grecian mother, before putting her child in its cradle, turns three times around before the fire while singing her favorite song to ward off evil spirits.

In Scotland it is said to rock the empty cradle will insure the coming of other occupants for it.

The London mother places a book under the head of the new-born infant that it may be quick at reading, and puts money into the first bath to guarantee its wealth in the future.

The Turkish mother loads her child with amulets as soon as it is born, and a small bit of mud, steeped in hot water prepared by previous charms, is stuck on its fore head.

In Spain the infant's face is swept with a pine tree bough to bring good luck.

POOR HOPKINS,

But His Dying Moments Were Soothed by a Kindly Nurse.

From the Portland Eastern Argus.

A Portland physician tells the following story, premising it with the remark that nurses in the London hospitals are rather apt to lay too much stress on the advantages received by the patients and to remind them of the duty of thankfulness. Sometimes the patients do not appreciate their good fortune. This scene from a London hospital related by the physician above indicated is a case in point:

Chaplain: "So poor Hopkins is dead! I should have liked to speak to him once again and soothe his last moments. Why didn't you call me?"

Hospital Orderly: "I didn't think you ought to be disturbed for 'Opkins, sir; so I just soothed him as best I could myself."

Chaplain: "Why, what did you say to him?"

Orderly: "'Opkins,' sez I, 'you're mortal bad.' 'I am,' sez 'ee. ''Opkins,' sez I, 'I don't think you'll get better.' 'No,' sez 'ee. ''Opkins,' sez I, 'you're going fast.' 'Yes,' sez 'ee. ''Opkins,' sez I, 'I don't think you can 'ope to go to 'eaven.' 'I don't think I can,' sez 'ee. 'Well, then, 'Opkins,' sez I, 'you'll go to 'ell.' 'I suppose so,' sez 'ee. ''Opkins,' sez I, 'you ought to be wery grateful as there's a place perwided for you, and that you've got somewhere to go.' And I think 'ee 'eard me, sir, and then 'ee died."

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Trains Running Into the Union Depot—St. Louis Time.

*Except Sundays. †Daily. ‖Except Saturday. ‡Except Monday. ¶Monday. §Sunday.

BURLINGTON ROUTE.

Through trains to Kansas City, St. Joseph, Lincoln and Denver, with Pullman Sleepers and Free Chair Cars. Through trains to St. Paul and Minneapolis, with Pullman Sleepers and elegant Dining Cars.

[illegible]	Depart.	Arrive.
Rock Island, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Peoria, La Crosse and Dubuque Express	† 8:35 am	† 5:55 pm
Rock Island, Bushnell, Galesburg, Peoria, St. Paul and Minneapolis Express	† 8:20 pm	† 7:20 am
BURLINGTON ROUTE—ST. L., K. & N. W. R. R.		
Minneapolis, St. Paul, Spirit Lake, Cedar Rapids Express	‖11:40 am	† 3:45 pm
Denver, Lincoln, Omaha, Kansas City and California Ex	† 8:05 pm	† 7:20 am
Hannibal, Quincy, Keokuk, Burlington Night Express	† 8:15 pm	† 7:10 am
Hannibal Day Express	* 7:40 am	† 7:15 pm
Fast mail, Louisiana, Hannibal, Quincy and Burlington	† 2:30 am	
Local passenger from Quincy		†12:15 pm
St. Paul & Minneapolis Spl	† 8:15 pm	† 7:10 am
Texas Ex. via M., K. & T. to Sedalia, Ft. Scott, Denison, Dallas and Houston	† 8:15 pm	† 7:10am
Houston and Galveston	† 7:40 am	† 7:15 pm
CAIRO SHORT LINE, ST. L., A. & T. H. R. R. CO.		
New Orleans and Cairo "Fast Mail"	* 7:50 am	* 6:45 pm
Paducah, Metropolis and Murphysboro Express	* 7:50 am	* 6:45 pm
Memphis and Cairo Fast Line	* 7:40 pm	* 7:30 am
New Orleans Limited	* 7:40 pm	* 6:45 pm
Parker City, Creal Springs and Cape Girardeau Express	† 7:50 am	†11:50 am
Sparta Express	* 7:50 am	* 7:30 am
Sparta, Chester and Murphysboro Express	† 4:25 pm	†11:50 am
Sparta and Chester Express	* 7:50 am	* 6:45 pm
Cairo, Carbondale and Parker City Express	† 4:25 pm	* 7:30 am

CHICAGO & ALTON RAILROAD.

Chicago Limited	* 8:45 am	* 7:15 pm
Chicago "Palace Express"	* 9:40 pm	* 7:35 am
Chicago Day Local Express	[illegible]	* 7:35 pm
Chicago Night Local Express	* 4:40 pm	*11:30 am
KansasCity Vestibuled Limited	* 8:55 pm	* 7:55 am
Kansas City Day Express	[illegible]	* 7:00 pm
Jacksonville Accommodation	* 5:45 pm	*11:00 am
Alton Express	*10:00 am	* 8:00 am
Alton Express, saturday only	1:30 pm	
St. Louis Accommodation		1:30 pm

CLEVELAND, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY—"BIG FOUR ROUTE."

Day Express	* 7:10 am	* 5:45 pm
Southwestern Limited	* 8:05 am	* 7:30 pm
Alton Express	*10:40 am	* 7:50 am
Alton Express		§10:20 am
Mattoon, Jerseyville and Springfield Accommodation	† 4:20 pm	†10:30 am
Alton Express	* 5:55 pm	* 1:30 pm
Boston, New York and Cincinnati Express	* 7:45 pm	* 7:45 am

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Fast Mail	† 3:00 am	
Local Express	* 7:55 am	† 6:00 pm
Kansas City, Omaha and Lincoln Exp	† 9:00 am	† 6:25 pm
Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha & So. Kan. & Col. Fast Line	† 8:20 pm	† 6:55 am
Kansas City and Wichita Express		† 7:15 am

Missouri Pacific Locals.
Washington Accommodation
Leaves *5:25 pm., arrives *8:20 am.
Kirkwood Accommodation Leave
*6:45, *8:00, †9:50, *11:50 am., *1:25, †3:15, *4:20, *5:50, *6:20, †6:30, *8:45, *10:30, *11:30 pm.
Sundays Only, Leave
7:30 am, 1:00 pm, 9:45 pm.
Kirkwood Accommodation Arrive
*6:30, *7:35, *8:40, *9:50 am, *12:35, *1:50, †3:10, *5:10, †5:55, *7:40, †8:20, *9:45, *11:30 pm.
Sundays Only, Arrive
9:05 am, 10:25 am.
Oak Hill Accommodation Leave
*6:20, †8:05, †10:00, *11:55 am, †3:00, *4:45, †6:15, †11:35 pm. Sunday only leave 1:15 pm.
Oak Hill Accommodation Arrive
*6:35, †8:20, †10:30, *11:30, *1:30, †5:35, †7:05, †7:45 pm.
Creve Cœur Lake.
Leave—†8:00 am, †9:30 am, †1:30 pm, †4:25 pm.
Arrive—†8:15 am, †12:40 pm, †5:55 pm, †10:10 pm, §8:30 pm.

JACKSONVILLE SOUTHEASTERN LINE.		
Peoria and J'ksonville Express	† 7:45 am	† 7:40 pm
Jacksonville and Litchfield Acc	† 4:45 pm	†11:10 am
ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD (Chicago Line).		
Chicago Day Express, daily	* 8:10 a m	
Chicago Day Express		* 7:20 p m
Chicago Diamond Special, d'y	* 9:10 p m	* 8:00 a m
LOUISVILLE, EVANSVILLE & ST. LOUIS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD "AIR LINE."		
Louisville Vestibuled Day Ex.	[illegible]	* 7:25 pm
Louisville Night Fast Line	* 8:25 p m	* 7:55 am
Belleville Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Belleville Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Belleville Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Belleville Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Belleville Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Belleville Accommodation	6:10 p m	[illegible]
MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD.		
New Orleans Express	* 8:35 p m	* 7:05 a m
Mobile & Florida Express	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cairo, Sparta, Chester, Murphysboro & Cape Girardeau and Jackson Express	* 7:40 a m	* 6:05 p m
Murphysboro, Sparta, Chester and Cape Girardeau Accom.	[illegible]	[illegible]

IRON MOUNTAIN ROUTE.

Columbus Accommodation	† 7:57 am	† 6:45 pm
Little Rock, Hot Springs, Dallas and Ft. Worth Express	† 9:20 am	† 6:10 pm
Memphis Express	† 8:30 pm	† 7:15 am
Texas Special to Hot Springs, Dallas, Galveston, San Antonio, New Orleans and City of Mexico	† 8:20 pm	† 7:25 am
El Paso & California Express	† 9:30 pm	† 6:15 am
Dallas, Ft. Worth, Houston and Galveston Express	† 7:40 a m	† 7:15 p m
Dallas, Ft. Worth, Austin and San Antonio Express	† 8:15 p m	† 7:10 a m
LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD.		
Southern Fast Mail	† 8:55 a m	† 7:20 pm
Belleville Accommodation	*10:45 a m	* 1:25 pm
Mt. Vernon Accommodation	* 5:00 p m	* 9:10 am
Southern Fast Line	† 7:35 p m	† 7:25 am
OHIO & MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY.		
Cincinnati & Louisville Accom.	* 7:20 a m	* 7:05 pm
Cin'ti, Louisville, Wash., Balt., Phila. and New York	† 8:00 a m	† 6:20 pm
Cincinnati, Louisville, Wash., Balt., Phila and New York	† 8:05 pm	† 7:15 a m
Vincennes Accommodation	* 5:50 p m	* 8:30 a m
ST. LOUIS, KANSAS CITY & COLORADO R. R.		
Union Accommodation	* 5:50 a m	* 7:25 pm
Creve Cœur Accommodation	* 5:50 a m	* 7:25 pm
Creve Cœur Accommodation	* 9:20 a m	*11:10 a m
Creve Cœur Accommodation	* 1:10 p m	* 4:00 pm
Union Express	* 4:50 p m	* 8:20 a m
Creve Cœur Accommodation	* 7:50 p m	§10:05 pm
ST. LOUIS, CHICAGO & ST. PAUL RAILROAD. (Bluff Line—via Big Four.)		
Grafton and Elsah	†10:40 am	† 7:50 a m
Grafton and Elsah	† 5:55 pm	† 8:45 pm
Springfield, Jerseyville, etc		† 1:30 pm
Springfield, Jerseyville, etc	† 4:20 pm	
ST. LOUIS, ALTON & SPRINGFIELD R. R. (Bluff Line—via Big Four.)		
Elsah, Piasa Bluffs & Grafton Express	†10:40 am	† 5:45 pm
Jerseyville & Springfield Exp.	† 4:20 pm	† 1:30 pm
Piasa Bluffs Special	† 5:55 pm	†10:00 am
ST. LOUIS & EASTERN RAILWAY. From Dickson and Collins Street Station.		
Glen Carbon Accommodation	8:20 a m	4:05 pm
Marine Accommodation	4:20 p m	8:10 am
ST. LOUIS, KANSAS CITY & COLORADO R. R.		
Union Accommodation	* 6:00 a m	* 6:00 pm
Creve Cœur Accommodation	* 9:20 a m	* 1:40 pm
Union Express	* 4:50 p m	* 8:20 am
Creve Cœur Accommodation		* 4:30 pm
ST. LOUIS & HANNIBAL RAILROAD.		
Mail and Express	* 8:30 am	*11:00 am
Mail and Express	* 4:30 pm	* 6:25 pm
CLOVER LEAF ROUTE.		
Mail and Express	† 7:15 am	† 6:15 pm
Toledo Night Express	† 6:55 pm	† 7:55 am

Wabash Line

LINES EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER.		
Chicago Local Express	† 7:30 am	† 8:00pm
Chicago Fast Express	† 9:00 am	† 6:45 pm
Toledo, Detroit & New York Fast Express	† 7:30 am	[illegible]
Decatur Accommodation	† 4:50 pm	†10:30 am
Toledo, Detroit, New York & Boston Vestibule Limited	† 7:00 pm	† 7:35 am
Chicago Vestibule Limited	† 9:00 pm	† 8:00 am
LINES WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER.		
Kansas City Mail and Express	† 8:30 am	† 6:25 pm
KansasCity, Ottumwa & St. Paul	† 9:00 am	[illegible]
Montgomery Accommodation	† 4:50 pm	[illegible]
Omaha, DesMoines & St. Paul Express	[illegible]	† 7:30 am
Kansas City Fast Express	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Graham Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson (Thursday only)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	[illegible]	[illegible]
FROM FRANKLIN AVENUE STATION.		
Bridgeton Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bridgeton Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Charles Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson (Fri. and Sat. only)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ferguson Acc. (Sunday only)	[illegible]	[illegible]
ST. LOUIS & SAN FRANCISCO RAILWAY.		
Valley Park Accommodation	† 7:00 am	[illegible]
Valley Park Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kansas & Colorado Mail	[illegible]	[illegible]
Arkansas & Texas Vestibule	[illegible]	[illegible]
Valley Park Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Valley Park Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Valley Park Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pacific Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Valley Park Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Col. & Cal. Express	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ark. & Texas Express	[illegible]	[illegible]

VANDALIA LINE

Trains No. 20 and No. 21	[illegible]	[illegible]
Day Express	[illegible]	[illegible]
Indianapolis Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
N. Y., Balt. & Wash. Express	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Day Express	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Day Express	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Diamond Special	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cincinnati Diamond Express	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cincinnati Night Express	[illegible]	[illegible]

CANNOT BE FOUND.

Commission Merchant J. A. Thompson Absent From Business.

SOME CHECKS GIVEN BY HIM HAVE GONE TO PROTEST.

He Was a Man Who Paid Above the Market Price for Goods, His Competitors Claim—His Clerk Avows Ignorance of His Whereabouts, but Thinks He Is Merely Sick.

In this morning's mail Funsten Bros. Commission Co., of 108 North Main street, received from a correspondent, Henry Porter, of Bridgetown, Mo., a check for $86 on the German Savings Institution, drawn by J. A. Thompson & Co., which had been protested. Mr. Porter asked the Funstens to collect the money from Thompson if they could. Thompson is a commission merchant, who holds forth or did hold forth at 121 North Main street. He is not a favorite with his business colleages, because he got trade that they cannot get by sending out circulars to the country merchants offering 2 cents above the market quotations for poultry and hides. When Mr. Funsten got the protested check he started across the street for Thompson's with blood in his eye. He didn't find Thompson. The Napoleon of the commission market, who can buy for more and sell for less than any merchant in the street and still make money, was not down this morning. His clerk, whose name is Scott, told Mr. Funsten he did not expect Mr. Thompson down until noon. At noon Mr. Thompson had not come down, and a rumor got afloat that he would come down no more.

The foundation for the rumor seems to have been Mr. Thompson's financial affairs. The story of the protested check went about like wildfire. Then it turned up that Thompson had sold Jas. Byrne & Co. a bill of hides yesterday and had asked for his check of $32 as late last evening as 5 o'clock. This was an unusual proceeding, apparently explainable only through the fact that he intended going away. Later those who had dropped in at the German Savings Institution discovered that more than one of Mr. Thompson's checks had been protested within the past few days. It was on these facts that the rumor went abroad of Mr. Thompson's flight.

THE CLERK'S STATEMENT.

A call was made at Mr. Thompson's place of business this morning and his clerk, Scott, found in charge. He was paying an expressman for a delivery. The express companies have always made Thompson pay cash. Scott said that it was nothing unusual for Thompson not to come down until late in the day.

"When was he here last?"

"He sat down at the store here last night and took off his shoes. He complained at the time of being sick. He went home late and I hardly expected him down to-day."

"Has he gone away?"

"I hardly think so. He had no reason to that I know of. I hope he has not. I've paid out a lot of money this morning."

"Does he owe you any?"

"Yes, he borrowed a few dollars from me yesterday, and altogether, including salary and what I paid out to-day, I'll be out over $200 if he don't come back."

Mr. Scott did not know where Thompson resided nor any details of the business.

Mr. Thompson has been in St. Louis about three months. He is said to have come here from Denver. After opening his place of business he sent out circulars broadcast no one else could pay. He got a great deal of trade away from the other merchants, and they looked on his methods somewhat askance. They did not expect him to remain in business long, and for that reason were prepared to believe and spread a report of his disappearance.

SHELLING THE RIFFIANS.

Hostilities Renewed Between the Spaniards and Natives at Melillo.

MADRID, Nov. 10.—Hostilities were renewed yesterday between the Spanish forces and the Moors. The Spanish gunboat Venadito was engaged in shelling the tribesmen.

Mr. J. E. Budgett Meakin, who has recently arrived in the United States and for many years lived in Tangier, the Moorish capital, explains that the Berbers, who are harassing the Spaniards around Melilla are far superior to the Arabs in physique and energy, and have never yet been subdued by any in Morocco. They are a white race, but they vary greatly in height in various localities, though uniformly lithe and of wonderful endurance.

Those of them who inhabit the Riff Mountains, between the Strait of Gibraltar and Algeria, are but one group of tribes among many such groups, all of which retain an independent and unique form of popular government by councils of forty. Their one weak point is their lack of cohesion and their constant intertribal feuds, the outcome of vendettas chiefly. Were they to combine they could declare their independence of the Sultan of Morocco and snap their fingers at Spain at the same time.

Most of them, Mr. Meakin says, are armed with repeating rifles. The mountain passes, hiding places, are known to them alone, and they are imbued with as undying love of home as hatred for the foreigner. What it cost France to subdue their brethren in Algeria will never be told. What it would cost any European power to conquer that province of the Riff alone it is awful to contemplate. In her last Moorish war Spain never reached this part; in this case she has surely not counted the cost in advance.

Mrs. Blood's Case Continued.

The case of Mrs. Kate C. Blood, ex-manager of the Common Sense Building Association, charged with obtaining $500 from Mrs. Catherine Drebing under false pretenses, was continued in the Court of Criminal Correction to-day on the part of the prosecution until Nov. 17.

Cotton.

Local market firm and active. Sales, 1,855 bales.

LOCAL QUOTATIONS.

Ordinary	6⅛	Middling	7¾
Good ordinary	7¼	Good middling	8
Low middling	7½	Middling fair	8½

Tinges ⅛c and stained ⅛c less than white.

THE MOVEMENT IN ST. LOUIS.

	1893-94	1892-93.
Net receipts to-day	1,107	1,598
Net receipts since Sept. 1	42,560	24,747
Net shipments to-day	1,852	536
Net shipments since Sept. 1	37,132	33,641
Gross receipts to-day	6,537	3,469
Gross receipts since Sept. 1	117,369	73,180
Gross shipments to-day	7,282	2,409
Gross shipments since Sept. 1	111,841	82,340
Stock on hand	24,930	37,508

NEW YORK—Spot cotton steady and 1-16c higher; middling, 8 5-16c. Futures closed steady. Sales, 217,400 bales. Reported by Lesser Cotton Co.

	Closed To-day.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closed Yesterday.
November	.....	8.17	7.90	8.05
December	8.27	8.27	8.08	8.15
January	8.28	8.30	8.13	8.18
February	8.36	8.38	8.20	8.26
March	8.44	8.44	8.28	8.33
April	8.51	8.51	8.35	8.40
May	8.59	8.58	8.45	8.48

NEW ORLEANS—Spot quiet; middling, 7 11-16c. Futures at 12:10 p. m. steady. Nov, 7.61c; Dec, 7.78c; Jan, 7.90c; Feb. 7.99c; March, 8.07c; April, 8.15c.

LIVERPOOL—Quiet, free supply offering, prices easier. American uplands, 4½d. Sales: 8,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation, and included 8,000 American. Receipts, 16,400 bales, all were American. Futures closed steady. Nov, 4.26d; Dec-Jan, 4.25d; Jan-Feb, 4.26d bid; Feb-March 4.27d; March-April, 4.29d sellers; April-May 4.30d; May-June, 4.32d bid; June-July, 4.34d sellers.

A Redeeming Feature.

From Vogue.

One of the redeeming features of a Wagner concert is that you can't hear the man next to you humming his accompaniment.

MRS. CLOPTON'S SUICIDE.

Inquest Held on the Unfortunate Lady—The Family Prostrated.

This morning at 10 o'clock Deputy Coroner Rohlfing conducted the inquest on the remains of Mrs. Belle Clopton, who cut her throat and hanged herself to the transom, at the family residence, 2740 Lafayette avenue yesterday afternoon. Only two witnesses were examined.

Emily, the 8-year-old daughter, who was the first to view the horrible spectacle of the dead and blood-smeared body of the mother, was so greatly shocked by the sight, that this morning she was unable to leave her bed, and Mr. Wm. H. Clopton, the husband, was also unable to attend the inquest.

The relatives who did attend requested that the inquest be conducted privately, and the request was granted. In accordance with the facts Deputy Coroner Rohlfing rendered a verdict of suicide due to aberration of the mind, superinduced by the physical condition incident to the age of the deceased.

Mrs. M. J. Obear of 2108 Lafayette avenue was the first witness. She said she was a sister of the deceased and that the latter was 45 years old, a native of Missouri and a resident of St. Louis for forty-two years past. "For the past seven months," said Mrs. Obear, "deceased has been in a very nervous condition. This was due to ill-health and many sleepless nights. I saw my sister about 12:30 on Nov. 9. I found her very much excited and depressed. She said that a fire was running up and around her back and that she was possessed of a demon. We had suspicions of her sanity for the past month. She said that blessings had been offered her, but in her ignorance she had refused to accept them; that she was lost and there was no hope for her. I left her house a few minutes after 1 o'clock, and she promised me she would come to my house, but she said: 'If I don't come don't be worried and don't pray for me. Something terrible and dreadful will happen.' This she had often said before, so I did not pay much attention. She was much troubled about her spiritual welfare. About 3 p. m. the same day I was preparing to go to her house, when the door bell rang and a gentleman carried the message that my sister had committed suicide. I hurried to her home and found an officer in charge."

Mrs. J. Brunaugh of 2832 Lafayette avenue testified that about 2:30 p. m. yesterday Emily, the 8-year-old daughter of the deceased, had come to her and said: "Mamma has murdered herself. I found the house locked and climbed through a window and coming up-stairs found mother hanging between the door." I at once went to the house and found the body of Mrs. Clopton hanging from the transom. Her throat was cut nearly across. There was blood on the stand and the razor was lying on the dresser. I called an officer and a physician, but when the latter arrived he pronounced her dead."

Mrs. Clopton, who was a wife of William H. Clopton, the well-known attorney and a prominent candidate for District Attorney, was a Miss Bryan before her marriage and a member of a prominent family. Recently her mind seems to have been affected on the subject of religion, and yesterday afternoon while her husband, her two children and the servant were out of the house and she was alone, she hanged herself with a rope fastened to a transom over one of the doors, and also cut her neck with a razor. She was a cultured and highly-respected lady.

Mr. W. L. Sheldon, speaking of the case, said: "There is something awfully sad about the death of Mrs. Clopton. A case of that kind ought not to be called suicide. It should be looked upon just as sudden death from heart disease, and her friends should think of it in that way. We who knew her esteemed her highly. She was of a deeply religious nature, and always thinking about the subject. She came to me sometimes for guidance and help in such matters, as I presume she went to several other clergymen. But I never discussed such matters with her, and discouraged her from bringing them up. The Ethical Society has nothing to do with speculative metaphysics and also absolutely nothing to do with Spiritualism. The latter teaching is fostered by the Ethical Spiritual Association, which is an entirely different organization. The Ethical Society works for practical religion and encourages study of ethics and not metaphysics or theology. Mrs. Clopton belonged for a while to a literary I learned to esteem her spirit highly. She had, of course, nothing to do with the Ethical Society, save to come there occasionally as many devout church people do. She wanted enlightenment, and I found I could not help her. But I thought of her as a noble woman, and as one of her acquaintances, mourn her loss and shall think of her as passing away by a natural death, simply a disease of the brain. We all must feel the deepest sympathy with her friends at their loss."

SECOND DAY'S SESSION.

Proceedings of the St. Louis County Sunday-School Association.

The second day's session of the sixteenth annual Convention of the St. Louis County Sunday-school Association began this morning in the Webster Groves Congregational Church, at 9:30 o'clock with a half hour's devotional exercises, conducted by Rev. W. Freer of Ferguson, in the absence of Rev. W. L. McEwan. At 10 o'clock reports for the field were called for. Mr. Moss of Rock Hill, President of Central Township Union, said that much interest in Sunday-school work has been awakened within his province, and many additions have been received. Mr. Wright, President of the Meramec Township Union made a favorable report, and Mr. Bullard, President of Bonhomme Township Union, was enthusiastic over the prospect in his territory. Encouraging statements were made also by representatives, attached to the Sunday-schools of the Bonhomme Presbyterian Church, Des Peres German Evangelical Church, Clayton Methodist Church, Des Peres Presbyterian Church and the Mount Olive Presbyterian Church.

Field Secretary R. L. Gurney conducted an open conference, the subject of which was "A Model Superintendent; Qualifications and Duties."

Mr. Guerney used a blackboard upon which he chalked the various suggestions made as to what a superintendent should or should not do, and what he should or should not be. The delegates were full of ideas on the subject. It was agreed that a Superintendent should be of good moral character, a Christian and a Bible student, he should be progressive, sociable, devoted to his work, tactful and a lover of children.

Mr. A. E. Wagner of Kansas City, Vice-President of the Missouri Sunday-school Association, made an address entitled "Our State Association's Educational Plans; the Complete Normal Manual, Post-Graduate Normal Courses, Diplomas, etc."

Mr. Wagner said that there were 563,000 pupils in the Sunday-schools at the present time and 60,000 teachers. At the current rate of increase, he expected to see 1,000,000 pupils and 100,000 teachers in the Sunday-schools of Missouri within a short time. He said that the Association's first need was organization, as an essential preliminary to education. Special preparation for the work of teaching was necessary. The Sunday School teacher had but one book to study but that she should learn well. The bible should be learned textually and generaly or analytically and for the this purpose the State Association had prepared a definite plan. Mr. Wagner then elucidated the course of study for Sunday-School teachers, adopted by the State Association.

This afternoon's session was devoted principally to the reports of the officers. A conference of the primary teachers was also held this afternoon. The convention adjourns to-night.

Same Old Story.

John Mason, colored, called at the Prosecuting Attorney's office to-day and complained of Charles E. Cox, who conducts an employment agency at 712 Chestnut street, under the name of the St. Louis Business Exchange. Martin said that he paid Cox $1 six days ago and that Cox agreed to get him employment in ten days. Martin was sent to several places, but failed to get a job. He stated that at some of the places he found other men looking for work, who stated that they had been sent there by Cox. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Estep told Mason to wait until the ten days were expired, and if he did not get work to come back.

COMMERCIAL.

Regular Cash Market Price To-Day.

	To-day.	Yesterday.	Year Ago.
WHEAT.			
No 2 red	58¼@58⅜	57⅛	67¾@68
No 3 red	55@55½	54@54½	62⅞@63¼
No 4 winter	51½@51½	50½@50¾	60
No 2 hard win	55¼ b	54⅛	63½
CORN.			
No 2	34⅛@34¼	35¼@34¼	42¼@41¾
No 2 white	34½	34⅞	41½
No 3	33⅞	33¾	41 b
OATS.			
No 2	27½	27	28¾ b
No 2 white	30½	30½	33½
No 3	26½ b	26	29½

Future Prices.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Sales.	Lowest Sales.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
Nov	57⅞ b			58⅞ a
Dec.	59⅛	59⅞	58⅞	59½ b
May	67 b	67⅞	67	67⅞ a
......	...			
CORN.				
Nov.	34⅝	...	...	34⅞ b
Dec.	34⅞@½ a	34¾	34⅞@½	34½@⅝ b
Year	34½ a	...	...	34⅞ a
Jan	34⅞@⅜ b	...	...	34¾
May.	38¼ b	38½	38¼	38⅞
OATS.				
Nov.	26½ n	....	....	27½ n
Dec.	27½ b	....	....	28 n
May.	31⅝ b	....	....	31⅝ b

CHICAGO—Reported by Gaylord, Blessing & Co., 307 Olive street.

WHEAT				
Dec	62⅝@½	63⅜	62⅜	63
CORN.				
May	42½@⅝	43	42½	42⅝
OATS.				
May	32⅛	32⅜	32⅛	32⅜@¼ b
PORK.				
Jan	14.35	14.30	14.20	14.20
LARD.				
Jan	8.42½@45	8.37½	8.32½	8.32½
SHORT RIBS.				
Jan	7.45	7.35	7.32½	7.32½

CHICAGO—Wheat—Dec, 63c; May, 70⅛c; Corn—May, 42⅝c. Oats—May, 32⅛@¼c bid.

PORK—Nov. $15.40; Jan, $14.20. Lard—Nov, 9.00c; Jan, 8.32½c. Short ribs—Nov, 8.25c; Jan, 7.32½c.

Estimated receipts for to-morrow—Wheat, 135 cars; corn, 400 cars; oats, 145 cars.

NEW YORK—Wheat—Dec, 68⅛c a; May, 74⅜c a. Corn—May, 49⅛c b.

TOLEDO—Cash, 61⅜c b; Nov, 61⅜c; Dec, 63⅜c; May, 70⅛c.

Grain Inspections.

WHEAT.	Sacks.	In Cars.	Out Cars.	Bu.
No 2 red winter	2,290	10	......	......
No 3 red winter	373	16	......	......
No 4 winter	648	7	5	......
Rejected winter	6	4	1	......
Total wheat	3,317	37	6	......
CORN.				
No 2	......	10	1	......
No 3	......	5	1	......
No 2 yellow	......	15	1	......
No 2 white	......	3	7	......
No 3 white	......	1	2	......
Total corn	......	34	11	......
OATS.				
No 2	......	1	4	......
No 3	......	......	2	......
No 4	......	......	1	......
No 2 white	......	5	2	......
No 3 white	......	4	4	......
No 4 white	......	4	1	......
No 3 color	......	2	......	......
Total oats	......	16	14	......
RYE.				
No 2	......	......	3	......
No 3	......	......	1	......
Total rye	......	......	4	......
Grand total	3,317	87	35	......

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	To-day.	Yesterday	Year Ago.
Wheat, bu	5,486,867	5,491,194	6,570,603
Corn, bu	90,115	97,825	93,262
Oats, bu	132,083	140,208	359,365
Rye, bu	3,808	5,307	45,090
Barley, bu	25,943	24,311	34,111
No 2 red win wheat	4,702,501	4,693,865	3,568,106
No 2 corn	57,633	60,426	17,204
No 2 oats	45,641	51,122	197,481
No 2 rye	3,230	4,229	37,100

Movement of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

	RECEIPTS.		SHIPMENTS.	
	Wheat.	Corn.	Wheat.	Corn.
St. Louis	52,808	52,165	43,133	18,844
Chicago	126,508	251,794	12,505	16,232
Toledo	62,931	24,280	1,200	22,500
Detroit	34,557	12,650	96,419	1,259
Kansas City	42,900	36,400	......	......
Milwaukee	52,000	4,550	2,600	1,300
Minn'polis	234,400	......	24,100	......
Duluth	309,610	......	140,957	......
New York	61,225	44,000	172,892	71,760
Baltimore	16,727	16,846	......	......
Philadel'ha	7,303	5,304	39,491	4,187
Boston	89,800	14,185	......	......

SHIPMENTS OF FLOUR—St. Louis, 4,512 bbls; Chicago, 49,009 bbls; Detroit, 225 bbls; Milwaukee, 1,180 bbls; Minneapolis, 35,333 bbls; New York, 2,925 bbls and 17,261 sks; Baltimore, 1,032 bbls; Boston, 1,400 bbls and 9,240 sks.

Future Sales To-Day.

Wheat—Dec—85 at 59⅛c, 40 at 59⅛c, 20 at 59⅛@⅜c, 45 at 59⅜c, 10 at 59⅜@½c, 125 at 59⅛c, 60 at 59½@⅝c, 155 at 59⅝c, 10 at 59⅝@¾c, 180 at 59⅜c, 5 at 59⅞c, May, 10 at 67c, 40 at 67⅛c, 5 at 67⅛c, 25 at 67⅜c, 10 at 67⅜@½c, 70 at 67⅝@¾c, 25 at 67⅝c, 80 at 67⅝@¾c, 5 at 67⅞c.

Corn—Dec—20 at 34@38⅛c, 5 at 34⅛c, 5 at 34⅜c, 5 at 34⅜c. May—20 at 38⅛c, 20 at 38⅜c.

ON 'CHANGE.

Grain.

Wheat—A stronger and more confident feeling and better buying, with not so much for sale, had a very beneficial effect upon the market and finally resulted in ¾c advance. Late, prices eased off about ⅛c on realizing sales, but the close was firm at ⅝c above yesterday. The outlook before the opening was not at all encouraging. Local receipts were nearly as large as one year ago, the cables were dull, if no lower, and Chicago reported ⅛c lower on the curb. These unfavorable conditions did not, however, start the crowd to selling, there was a demand that got away easily with all offerings and with stiff up turns elsewhere, the market went up right buoyantly. The continued dry weather, supplemented by the lessened acreage and low-conditioned Michigan crop report was a strong bull card. There was also a repetition of the statement that the country movement in the Northwest had fallen off largely, though the day's arrivals at Duluth and Minneapolis of 750 cars were nearly as large as one year ago. The clearances were not large enough to give any tone to the market, from four ports amounting to 32,000 pkgs flour and 213,000 bu wheat. The late cables were not encouraging. Berlin being reported slightly higher and Antwerp unchanged, but Liverpool futures ¼@½d lower and prices off ⅛@⅛c. A private Liverpool cable, lower, reported the market a shade higher and New York advised of 100,000 bu marked for Antwerp. The domestic markets were let down from their top rates, but the close here was fairly firm.

FUTURES—Dec. opened at 59⅛c and sold to 59⅛c to 59⅛c to 59⅜@½c to 59⅞c to 59⅝c, (offered on call at 59⅝c with 59⅝@⅜c bid.) to 59⅝@⅝c, to 59⅝c, to 59⅛c, was offered at 59⅝@½c, closing at 59½c bid. May sold at 67c, to 67⅝@¾c, to 67⅛c, to 67⅝c, to 67⅝c, on the call, to 67⅝c, closing at 67⅝c sellers. Nov had 58⅝c bid on call, but closed at 58⅝c sellers. Jan offered at 61⅛c, bid 61c

SPOT GRADES.—Higher, but the demand continued to come mainly from carriers. No 2 red advanced 1⅛c, regular selling at 58⅛c to 58⅜c. No 3 red this side at 55c and East side at 55@55½c. No 4 winter at 51⅛@51½c in F and 51⅛c this and East side. No 2 hard winter not offered and 55⅛c bid regular. No 2 spring sold at 47⅛c.

Sales: No 2 red—3 cars regular at 58⅛c, 2,150 bu and 9 cars do at 58⅛c. No 3 red—2 cars in St L, 1 in C, 1 in East side, and 750 bu this side at 55c, 3 cars East side at 55⅛c. No 4 winter—2 cars in F at 51⅛c, 1 in do at 51⅛c, 1 car in M, 2 this side and 1 East side at 51⅛c. No 3 spring—1 car in M at 48⅛c.

SAMPLES—Received 8,448 sks, 51 cars local, 1 car through. Sample offerings dull and neglected; in fact, it was about the dullest market of the season. Nearly all millers out of the market. Sales: Red winter—Small lot rejected at 45c, 20 sks No 4 at 51⅛c, 72 at 52⅛c, 190 No 3 at 54c, 245 at 55c, 121 at 56c, 564 prime at 57c, 680 No 2 at 58⅛c, 250 on p t. East track—1 car No 3 at 56c, 2 cars No 2 at 58⅛c del. This side track—2 cars No 3 at 55c.

Corn—The strong advance in wheat had a stimulating effect upon the price of corn, but did not upon speculation, which continued light. Weather conditions were most favorable. Cables dull, with Liverpool ⅛d lower, and clearances from four ports only 76,000 bu, but receipts were small and the cash market better. The market eased off after wheat let down late in the session, but the close was firm at ⅛c above yesterday.

FUTURES—Dec sold at 34⅜@⅛c to 34⅛c to 34⅛c, was offered at 35⅛@⅛c, though latter bid at close. May fluctuated between 38⅜c and 38⅛c, opening and closing at 38⅜c. Nov offered on call at 34⅛c and at close 34⅛c bid. Year offered late at 34⅛c. At one time 35c bid for Jan but not worth over 34⅛c at close.

SPOT GRADES—A stronger feeling and a better demand, with less pressure to sell, but it was a tame market. No 2 was salable regular at 34⅛c, a few cars in special houses brought 34½c, and for East side 35c bid. No 3 sold this side at 33⅝c; for East side 33½c bid. No 2 white offered regular at 34⅝c, bid 34⅛c.

Sales—No 2—15 cars regular at 34⅛c, 1 in C and 1 in M at 34½c. No 2 white—4 cars in M at 34½c. No 3—1 car in m and 1 East Side at 33⅝c.

SAMPLES—Fair milling demand, but mixed slow and ear corn very hard to sell. Sales: East track—1 car mixed ear (new) at 32½c, 1 No 3 at 34c, 1 No 2 (new) at 34⅝c, 1 No 2 switched at 36c. Track this side—182 sks white, 1 car No 2 white, 1 car white ear (new) to arrive at 36c. Sacks returned—289 sks St Charles at 36½c. Sacked lots on orders, 43@44c.

Oats—The future market was stronger, but still no trading. The only option mentioned was May, for which 31⅝c was bid on first call and 32c asked.

SPOT GRADES—No 2 offered in D at 28c, bid 27⅛c; same bid East Side, 2⅛c for regular. No. 3 not offered, and 26⅛c bid regular.

SAMPLES—Received 18 cars. Under an active demand the market was higher. The offerings were cleaned up early at ¼@½c advance for white and the mixed taken at yesterday's top rates mainly, although a few cars of extra nice sold ⅛@⅛c higher. Sales were as follows:

By sample in special bin—1 car No 2 white at 30⅛c, 4 No 3 white at 29⅛c, 1 do at 29⅛c, 1 No 4 white at 28⅛c, 1 do mixed with wheat and barley at 27⅛c, 1 No 2 at 27⅝c, 5 do at 27⅛c, 2 choice No 3 and 1 No 4 white at 27c. Sacked lots on orders 32@33c.

Rye—No offerings on the call, where bids for No 2 were 43c regular, 44c East side.

Barley—There was a good demand and large sales were made at about steady prices. Sales: Iowa—1 car at 43c. Minnesota—3 cars at 50c, 3 cars at 52c, 2 cars at 57c, 10,000 bu at 58c, 2 cars and 25,000 bu at 59c, 10,000 bu at 61c.

Also, 10,000 bu Minnesota at 54c.

Hay.

Received, 485 tons; shipped, 133 tons. The buying was more spirited this morning, but prices were no higher. Best grades of timothy and prairie were firm and medium grades in fair request, but the low grades remained in the same old rut—dull and dragging.

Sales: This side—Mixed—3 cars at $9, 1 at $9.50. Timothy—1 car threshed at $5.50, 2 prime at $10, 1 do at $10.25, 1 strictly do at $10.75, 4 about choice at $11, 1 choice at $11.25, 3 do at $11.50, 2 fancy at $12, 2 strictly do at $12.50, 2 extra do at $13. Prairie—3 cars at $6, 3 at $7, 1 at $7.25, 1 at $7.50, 1 at $8.50, 5 at $9. East side—1 car mixed at $9.

Flour and Feed.

Flour—Some little demand, but buyers and sellers generally apart in their ideas. Sales: 1 car at $2.47, 1 car at $3.05, 2 cars, 350 bbls and 1,000 sks on p t.

Patent	$3 00@3 15	Choice	$2 00@2 20
Extra fancy	2 65@2 75	Family	1 80@2 00
Fancy	2 40@2 50	Rye flour	3 10@3 25

Buckwheat—Pure Eastern, $6 per bbl.

Cornmeal—Easy. On orders—Cornmeal, $1.90@1.95 per bbl; pearl meal, gritz and hominy, $2.45@2.55.

Bran—Weaker and lower, declining to 64½c and having sellers at 65c. Sales: East track—7 cars skd at 65c, 3 do at 64½c.

Provisions.

Market steadier and a somewhat better demand.

Pork—Standard mess selling at $17.50@17.62½, on orders, $18.25.

Lard—Prime steam, 9⅜c.

Dry Salt Meats—Shipping age f o b on cash orders—Shoulders, 7c; longs and c'ribs, 8¾@⅞c; shorts, 9c; boxed, 15c higher.

Bacon—Packed shoulders, 7½c; longs, 10c; c'ribs, 10¼c; shorts, 10⅜c. On orders—Longs, 11c; c'ribs, 11c; short clear, 11½c.

Green Meats—Hams from the block, 7¾c; bellies, 9c; shoulders, 7½c.

Highwines—Steady at $1.15.

Lead and Spelter.

Lead—Steady at the recent decline, 20 cars selling at 3.15c.

Late chemical hard offered at 3.15c without buyers.

Spelter—Quotable at 3.35c.

Seeds and Castor Beans.

Grass Seeds—Steady and quiet, as offerings were light. Demand fair. Clover ranged from $7.50 to $8.15 per 100 pounds, timothy at $3 to $3.20, red top at $2.50 to $3.25, Hungarian at 70c to 90c. German millet at 80c to $1, mixed millet at 70c to 90c. Sales: 7 sks clover at $7.81, 21 at $7.91, small lot at $8.05, 5 sks at $8.06, 15 at $8.15.

Flaxseed—Higher and firm. A car sold at $1.02.

Hemp Seed—Quotable at $1.42 pure test.

Castor Beans—Prime salable at $1.25 ℔ bu in car lots; smaller lots less. A car sold at $1.25. close]

ON THE STREET.

[The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.]

Fruits.

Apples—Receipts liberal, and arrivals run largely to medium and No. 2 grades. On these the market was weak, and lower to sell. Fancy, while no lower, but owing to the increased offerings of No 2, were selling slow, at unchanged prices, with sales mainly in lots, few buyers caring to take hold of straight cars on present condition of the market. We quote: Fancy, $3@3.25; choice, $2.50@2.75; good, $2@2.25; fair, $1.75@2; poor, $1.50@1.75 per bbl.

Grapes—Supply not large, but as the demand was enough to supply the wants of buyers. Prices show no material change. We quote: Catawbas, 19@20c; Concords, 16@18c ℔ 9-℔ basket.

Lemons—Steady. We quote: Fancy, $5.50@6; choice, $4@4.50; common, $3.50; Florida, $3.00@3.50 per box.

Oranges—Receipts and offerings of Florida large. The fruit shows good color, and, while prices in car lots from first hands are not very stiff, $1.75@2 per box, the movement was fair. For selections and repacked we quote: Florida brights, $2.25@2.50; golden russets, $2@2.25; Mexicans, $3@3.25; Louisiana, $2.25 per box and $5 per bbl.

Grape Fruit—Florida in light offering and fair demand at $2.75@3 per box on orders.

Bananas—We quote: Selections on orders—Small, $1@1.10; medium, $1.25@1.35; large, $1.50@1.75; Jumbo, $2.25 ℔ bunch.

Dates—New Persian Halloween, 60-℔ boxes, 5c ℔ ℔; Fards, 12-℔ boxes, 8c; 60-℔ boxes, 7c ℔ ℔.

Figs—Market cleaned up on old stock. Nothing new offering except California in bags, which sell at 8½@10c ℔ ℔.

California Fruits—Fair demand. We quote: Grapes—Tokay, $2.75@3 ℔ 40-℔ case. Pears—"B" Clargo, $2.50@2.75; Vicar, $2.25@2.50; winter Neilis, $2.50@2.75 ℔ 40-℔ box. Apples, $1.50@1.75 per box. Quinces, $1.25@1.50 ℔ box.

Malaga Grapes—Fair supply and demand. We quote: Extra fancy, $10@12; fancy, $9@10; choice, $7@8; fair, $6@7 per bbl.

Cranberries—Cape Cod in fair demand at $5@5.50 ℔ bbl and $1.75@2 ℔ box.

Dried Fruit—Apples are selling steadily at unchanged prices, but peaches are quiet.

Sun-dried apples.		Evaporated apples.	
Choice quarters	5 @5¼	Quarters	6 @6½
Inferior quarters	4 @4½	Rings, dark	7 @7½
Peeling and cores	1¼@1½	Rings, choice	9
Chopped	¾@1	Peaches.	
Blackberries.		Sun-dried	3¾@4
Choice	5 @5½	Evap. peeled	10@12

Vegetables.

Transactions in the daily call at the Fruit and Produce Exchange were as follows: Potatoes, 1 car rose at 55c; cabbage, 2 lds at $13 per ton; rutabagas, 1 car at $24; beans, 1 car navy at $1.65 per bu.

Potatoes—Received, 6,996 bu; shipped, 7,379 bu. There was no material change in the situation. Demand for local as well as order account, was light, and prices remain unchanged, although all conditions point to lower range of prices. We quote: Northern Burbanks and peerless, 58@60c; rose, 58@60c; Michigan burbanks, 60@62½c per bu.

Onions—There was no life to the demand and on everything but fancy offerings the market was dragging at low prices. Choice and fancy was wanted in limited quantities and on these market was steady, but any pressure to sell would mean lower prices. We quote: Poor, 30@40c; fair, 45@50c; choice and fancy, 50@60c; extra fancy Eastern, 65@70c per bu. Sales—1 car poor at 35c, 1 red at 55c per bu, all del.

Sweet Potatoes—Liberal offerings. Demand only fair. We quote. Yellow, $2.75@3; red $2.50@2.75, Bermudas $1.75@2 per bbl. Southern consignments nominally, $1.25@1.50 per bbl.

Celery Roots—Salable at 25@35c per doz.

Cauliflower—Salable at $5@5.50 per bbl.

Cabbages—Receipts fair. Demand limited and prices lower. We quote: Eastern, $12@15, Northern, $12@14 per ton; crated on orders, green, $1.75; red, $3 per crate.

Celery—Large supply, light demand and dull. We quote: Michigan, 15@20c, and home-grown, 30@50c per doz.

Carrots—Fair sale at $1.25 per bbl and $12 per ton.

Beets—Fair sale at $1.25@1.50 per bbl.

Green Peppers—Slow sale at 50c for green and $1 for red per bu.

Horseradish—Good demand at $5@5.50 per bbl.

Hubbard Squash—Slow at $6@8 per ton in bulk.

Parsnips—Fair sale at $1.75 per bbl.

Rutabagas—Bulk sells in a jobbing way at 30c per bu delivered; on orders, $1.25@1.50 per bbl.

Sauer Kraut—New sells at $4.25@4.50 per bbl and $2.25@2.50 per ½-bbl.

Spinach—Fair sale at $1 per bbl.

Kale—Selling at $1 per bbl.

Turnips—Sell at $1.50 per bbl for washed and $1 for unwashed; consigned dull at 20c per bu.

Tomatoes—Salable at 60@75c per bu.

Nuts.

Pecans—The first car Texas of the season received, which was sold sometime ago to arrive at 5½c per lb. Market quiet and easy. Texas quotable at 4½@5½c per lb; Territory at 4@4½c; Western at 3½@3¾c.

Hickorynuts—Shellbark, 50@60c per bu; large, 30c.

Peanuts—Red, 1@2c per lb; white, 2@3c.

Hazelnuts—Nominal at 1½c per lb.

Chestnuts—Domestic, 6@8c per lb; Italian, 11@12c.

Walnuts—Selling at 25c per bu.

Eggs.

Received, 1,189 cases; shipped, 3 cases. Steady and unchanged. Good run of stock selling fairly well at 18c per doz, but demand restricted some by warm weather. Ice-house, Arkansas and Southern 1@2c less.

Butter and Cheese.

Butter—The movement is very slow, and the only kind that there is any demand for is fancy table stock. All other grades are dull and neglected.

Creamery.		Dairy.	
Separator	26@27	Choice	24@25
Gathered cream	24@25	Seconds	14@18
Country roll.		Country packed.	
Fair to choice	13@15	Choice to fancy	12@14

Cheese—Firm, but quiet. Full cream twins, 12½c; singles, 13c; Young American, 12½c; small orders, ½c higher; brick, 12@13c; Limburger, 12½@13c; Swiss—choice, 14@15c.

Poultry and Game.

Live Poultry—There was a better feeling, as receipts were quite light and the local demand good. Offerings of chickens moderate and selling quite well at firm but unchanged rates. Good dressing turkeys wanted, but poor stock slow. Ducks and geese in fair request.

Spring chickens		Turkeys.	
Average stock	6	Choice dressing	8½
Old roosters	3½	Small and poor	7 @7½
Ducks.		Geese.	
Poor to choice	5½@6	Poor to choice	6½@7½

Game—Fair receipts, condition of arrivals run about the same as for several days past, more or less soft and green, demand was fair but confined to choice sweet offerings. Anything off neglected. For selections we quote:

Grouse—White, undrawn, $3.50; dark, undrawn $4; drawn, $3.50. Ducks—Mallard, $2.60; drawn, $1.75; undrawn, teal, blue wing, $1.50; green wing, $1.25; mixed and wood, 75@90c; pigeons, 75c; quail, dry undrawn, $1.50; drawn and wet, $1.25; snipe, $1; woodcock, $6. Rabbits—Kansas, $1; Illinois and Missouri, $1.25; jack rabbits, $2.40; squirrel, 75c per doz. Turkeys—Toms, 8@9c; hens, 7@8c. Venison—Carcasses, 7@8c; saddles, 9@10c per lb.

Live Veals—Receipts fair. For fancy fat there was a good demand at steady prices. Poor, rough and thin dull and dragging. We quote: Fancy fat, 5c; choice, 4@4½c; medium, 3@3½c; heretics rough and thin, 1½@2c per lb.

Sheep—Dull at 2½@3c per ℔.

Lambs—Dull. We quote: Fancy, 2½@3c, and choice 2c per ℔.

Young Roasting Pigs—Sold at 75c@$1.

more doing in Territory stock, a lot of 70,000 lbs Arizona selling on p. t.

Wool, Hides, Feathers, Pelts, Etc.

Wool—Quiet. Demand fair for choice bright, but all else dull and neglected.

MISSOURI AND ILLINOIS.		TEXAS—(6 to 12 months).	
Medium	16 @17	Medium	13 @15
Low and braid	13 @15	Coarse and low	10 @12
Fine	11 @13	Fine medium	10 @12
Burry	10 @13	Light fine	9 @12
WESTERN AND NORTHERN		Heavy fine	7 @10
Medium	13 @14	Low and dirty	5 @ 7
Fine medium	11 @12	TUBWASHED.	
Fine	9 @11	Choice	29
Heavy and low	7 @10	Low and coarse	21 @23

Hides—There was a better feeling to hides, and the demand shows some improvement.

On selection.		Round.	
Green salted, No 1	3½	Green salted	3 @3¼
Green salted, No 2	2¾	D F West & Tex	5¼@5¾
Dry flint, No 1	6	Southern	4 @4½
Dry flint, No 2	4½	Glue, green	1
Dry salted, No 1	5	Glue, dry	2½
Dry salted, No 2	4	Dry salted	4½

Feathers—Steady. Prime white, large sks, 36c small sks, 37c; prime gray mixed, 32@33c prime gray, 30c; old—X, 28@30c; XX, 15@18c; PXX, 8@10c; XXXX, 5@7c. Chicken—Dry picked, 4c. Duck—White, 30c; dark, 20c; tare, 3 to 10 per cent.

Sheep Pelts—Quiet at 30c to 50c; lamb, 15@25c; green salted shearlings, 10@15c; dry, 5@15c; dry fallen, 4½@5½c per ℔.

Deer and Antelope Skins—Deerskins—Prime, 23c; damaged, half price; antelope, 12@12½c.

Goat Skins—Slow at 10@15c apiece.

Tallow—Firmer and in demand. Prime, 5⅛c per lb; No 2, 4½@4⅞c; cake, 5¼c.

Grease—Yellow, 3½@4c per lb; brown, 3c; grease butter, 3½@4c; rancid country lard, 4½c.

Beeswax—Steady; prime, 21½@22c.

Roots—Ginseng, $1.90@2.28, extra long more; seneca, 26@30c; snake, 16@18c; golden seal, 14@15c; May apple, 1@1¼c; pink, 13@15c; lady slipper, 4c; black, 3½@4½c; Angelica, 4¼@5c; wahoo, bark of tree, 3c; bark of root, 8c; beth, 4c; blood, 1@2½c; blue flag, 8c.

Furs.

Receipts increasing, yet there is not enough stock coming to cut much of a figure. The demand is fair at the prices current. The quality as yet is poor, as receipts consist largely of inferior, bug-eaten and short-haired summer skins.

	No. 1 Large.	No. 1 Med.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.
Raccoon	$ 50	$ 40	$ 30	$ 20	$ 10
Mink	75	60	40	25	10
Fox, red	75	55	35	25	10
Fox, grey	55	45	30	25	10
Otter	6 00	4 50	3 50	2 00	50
Beaver	6 00	4 50	3 50	2 00	50
Bear	8 00	7 00	4 50	2 50	75
Wolf, prairie	80	60	35	20	10
Wolf, timber	2 00	1 25	50	40	15
Coyote	60	50	30	15	5
Badger	75	60	40	20	5

Skunk, black	90	Civet cat	10 @15
Short stripe	60	Opossum	5 @10
Narrow stripe	25	Muskrat	5 @10
Broad stripe	10	Wildcat	20 @35
Texas & Ter	15 @30	House cat	10

Miscellaneous Markets.

Broom Corn—Quiet. Common sells at 1½@2c per lb, fair at 2¼@2½c, choice and fancy at 2¾@3¼c.

Scrap Iron and Metal—Wrought, 40c; heavy cast and trimming, 25c; malleable, 10c; burnt, 20c. Brass—Heavy, 5c; light, 3½c. Copper, 5c; babbit metal and lead, 3c; zinc, 3c; pewter, 9c.

Rags, Etc.—Rags, 60c; old rubber, $2; old rope, No 1, $1; No 2, 35c.

Sacks—Burlaps, 2-bu, 5¾c; 2½-bu, 6c; 3-bu, 6¾c; 4-bu, 7¾c; 5-bu, 8c; 6-bu, 8¼c. Cotton, seamless, 12½@20c; wool, 22@30c; flour, 98-lb, 16½c; 200-lb, 18c.

Empty Barrels—Coal oil, 80c; lard oil, 55c; linseed oil, 60c; black oil, 30c; vinegar, 50c; whisky, 50c; ½-bbls, 30c; sugar, 12@15c; molasses, 25c.

Salt—Domestic, 80c per bbl on trk this side, and 75c East side.

Oils—Linseed, raw, 38c; boiled, 41c. Castor oil, best, 14c; No 3, 11c. Cottonseed oil, summer yellow, 45c; white, 46c; winter, yellow, 52c; white, 53c. For small lots more charged.

Cooperstuffs—Shaved hoops—Hoosier flour bbls, $3@3.50; cooper flour bbls, $5@5.50; flour ½-bbls, $2@2.50. Pork bbls, $7@8; lard tcs, oak, $8.50@9; hickory, $10@11. Staves, flour bbl, $6.25; culls or seconds, $3@3.50; beer kegs, $16@18; lard tcs, $22; pork bbls, $16. Headings—Flour bbls, 4½c per set.

Cooperage—Flour bbls, round hoop, 33c; flat hoop, 28c; ½-bbls, 22c; meat bbls, 24c; produce bbls, 21@23c; pork bbls, 75c; ½-bbls, 60c; lard tcs, 95c; ½-tcs, 60c.

Bagging—1½-lb, 4½c; 1¾-lb, 5c; 2-lb, 5⅜c; 2¼-lb, 5¾c. Cotton ties, 95c@$1. Twine, 10c.

Bones—Choice bleached, $15.50@16 per ton; slaughter-house stock, $7@9.

White Beans—Eastern jobbing at $1.80@1.85 for pea beans and $1.70@1.75 for medium. Lima at 3¼@3½c. Country lots quotable at $1.25@1.50.

Peas—Scotch, $1.60; green at $1.40.

Moss—Gray, 1@1½ ℔ ℔; gray and brown mixed, 2@2½c; black, 3c.

Honey—Strained and extracted, 4@5c ℔ ℔, top rate for canned; comb, 7@12c; fancy, 14@16c.

Commercial Notes.

Just one year ago July wheat was opened with a sale at 76⅜c.

The '94 crop is beginning to exert an influence upon the wheat market.

An estimate on both coasts exports, flour and wheat for the week is 3,035,000 bu.

Weather dry, both in this country and Europe, but cold across the water.

Liverpool receipts of wheat for the past three days were 370,000 bu, of which 213,000 bu from America, and 160,000 bu corn.

Advices from the Northwest continue to assert that farmers' deliveries of wheat are falling off steadily at country stations.

Unless weather conditions change for the better very shortly, the condition of the fall-sown wheat on Dec 1 will be one of the lowest ever reported by the Government.

With the Ohio acreage 94 and the Michigan 77 per cent it begins to look as though the area sown to winter wheat this fall was considerably short of last year.

Fair weather prevails, except light showers in the Tennessee Valley and snow in Northeastern Montana. It is generally cooler in the East and South and extreme Northwest, and warmer in central section. Forecast: Fair Friday and Saturday; increasing cloudiness Saturday evening; warmer to-night; cooler Saturday night.

The Michigan crop report for the month of Nov. says, while wheat sowing was delayed by dry weather, which prevailed previous to the middle of Sept., the ground afterwards was in good condition and the seed was sowed until the middle of Oct. The wheat acreage is placed at 77 per cent and the plant's condition at 88 per cent.

The largest stock of lard at any of the European markets on Nov. 1 were 9,000 tcs at Liverpool, against 17,000 tcs last month. The amount of lard afloat for Europe exceeds the total American stock by about 12,000 tcs, being more than double the total quantity held at the principal American markets. The stocks in Europe are three times as large as the quantity in America.

Bradstreet's says the European and Australian supply of wheat is 86,952,000 bu and the world's stock 182,602,000 bu. The total American visible is: Wheat, 95,650,000 bu; corn, 10,093,000 bu; oats, 7,374,000. One year ago the world's available supply of wheat was 154,272,000 bu and two years ago was 133,641,000 bu.

Satisfactory accounts are to hand from France, Belgium, the Netherlands, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Italy, Spain, Scandinavia. Snow has fallen in Eastern Russia, and rain is reported in some of the Southern Governments. In France and Belgium the beet crop has improved so remarkably in the last few weeks that the sugar is weakened thereby. The accounts received from Australia and New Zealand point to the probability of great results, but the most trying time of the season has yet to be experienced, and hot winds frequently mar the fairest promise.—Dornbusch.

Liverpool Corn Trade News says: Our agents in various ports, in response to a recent inquiry, have sent us the following reports upon the wheat crop harvested twelve weeks ago: Neighborhood of Odessa—The wheat crop is turning out as large as expected, but the yield per acre is not relatively so heavy in grain as one expected from the large quantity of straw. District of Riga—Our wheat is soft and scarcely fit for export; yield far worse than expected at harvest. Eastern Roumelia—The wheat crop is turning out better than anticipated at harvest. Portugal—The wheat crop is turning out in the north of the kingdom better than anticipated at harvest, but not so in the south. Holland—The wheat crop is bigger than expected at harvest. Germany—Manheim—The crop is better than expected. Hamburg—The crop is better in quantity and quality than expected at harvest.

Foreign Telegraph Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 10, 12:30 p. m.—Wheat firm, demand moderate; holders offered sparingly; No 2 red winter, 5s 3d@5s 4d; No 2 spring, 5s 6d@5s 7d; No 1 California, 5s 7½d@5s 8½d. Maize steady demand moderate; mixed Western, 4s 3d.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 10, 1 p. m.—Spot wheat on opening, buyers indifferent, hoping to obtain some concessions; maize quiet, but steady.

LONDON, Nov. 10, 1 p. m.—Cargoes off coast, wheat quiet; maize, nothing offering. Cargoes on passage and for shipment, wheat, easier; maize, quiet. Mark Lane—English and foreign wheat turn easier. American and Danubian maize steady; English and American flour cheaper to sell.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 10.—Closing—Pork, demand poor. Lard—Spot dull; demand poor, 51s; futures, none offered. Flour—Demand moderate. Wheat dull, demand moderate; new mixed, 4s 2½d; futures dull; demand fair; Nov, 4s 2½d; Dec, 4s 2d; Jan, 4s 1d; for new, 4 26-64d; Dec and Jan, 4 25-64d; Jan, 4 26-64d.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—Flour dull, but firmer. Wheat—Receipts, 61,100 bu; sales, 1,110,000. Options—No 2 red opened ⅛c lower on easy cables, but turned strong on the bad crop reports and covering and advanced ⅝c; Dec, 67⅜@68⅛c; May, 74 11-16@75⅛c. Rye nominal. Corn—Receipts, 144,000 bu; sales, 40,000 bu. Options—No 2 dull at ⅛c rise with wheat; Dec, 47c, May, 49⅛@49⅜c. Oats—Receipts, 113,400 bu; sales, 25,000; options No 2 market dull at ⅛c advance; Dec, 35⅛c; May, 36⅛c; track State white 34@40c; do Western, 34@40c. Beef dull; family, $12@14; extra mess, $8@8.50. Pork quiet; new mess, $19@19.50; family, $19.50@20; short clear, $19@20. Lard easy; prime Western steam, 9.90c, nominal. Butter—Receipts, 5,340 packages; dull and weak; State dairy, 19@27½c; State creamery, 25@28c; Western dairy 17½@23c; Western creamery, 25@28c; Elgin 29c. Cheese—Receipts, 5,864 pkgs; quiet; State large, 9@11⅛c; small, 10½@12½c; part skims, 4@9½c; full skims, 2@4c. Eggs steady; State and Pennsylvania, 24½@25½c; Western, 24½@25½c. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 21 3-16c; centrifugal 96 test, 3⅛c; refined, steady; crushed, 5@5 3-16c; powdered, 4 13-16@5c; granulated, 4 9-16@4⅝c. Petroleum steady; all ports 5.10@5.15c. Coffee, market steady. No 7, 18⅛@⅛c. Spirits turpentine steady, 30½@31c. Molasses quiet; New Orleans, 36@41c. Rice steady; domestic 3½@5⅛c. Japan, 4⅜@4⅝c. Freights steady. Rosin steady; strained common to good, $1.12½@1.24. Tallow quiet; city hhds, 5⅛c. Hay steady; shipping, 65c; good to choice, 65@85c.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 11.—On a decrease in receipts wheat opened strong to-day, Dec beginning at 62⅝c, where it closed yesterday. People in the Northwest did some buying, and on the claim that car receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth will soon fall 50 per cent, the price climbed steadily until Dec had reached ⅝c better than its opening at 63⅛c. Corn, with receipts somewhat less than the estimate, opened steady, May starting at 42⅝c, yesterday's closing. On wheat's bulge it went up another ⅛c, lost ⅛c on slow trading, but rallied again to 42⅝c. Provisions were dull, a lack of demand starting Jan pork at $14.30, or 5c below yesterday's close, and gradually forcing it down 7½c further with but few rallies.

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.—Close—Wheat steady; cash, 61⅜c; Dec, 63c; May, 70⅛c. Corn firmer; cash 38⅛c; Dec, 38⅛c; May, 42⅝c. Oats strong; cash 28⅛c; Dec, 29⅛c; May, 32⅛@⅛c. Pork weak; Jan, $14.20. Lard weak; Jan, 8.32½c. Ribs weak; Jan, 7.32½c. Rye nominal, 44@46c. Flaxseed firm, $1.04. Timothy steady, $3.20. Butter dull. Eggs quiet. Whisky, $1.15.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 10.—Corn steady; mixed, 48@49c; yellow, 49@50c; white, 50c. Oats steady; No 2, 36c; Texas, 8c. Hay firm; choice, $16@16 50; prime, $13.50@15. Bran steady at 80@82½c. Cornmeal quiet at $2.05. Receipts, 2,395 bbls flour, 219 sks corn, 5,288 sacks oats, 10,171 sks rye, 3,922 bales hay, 620 sks bran, 275 bbls cornmeal.

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 10.—Wheat higher and quiet. No 2 cash and Nov, 62c; Dec, 63⅜c; May, 70⅛c; Corn firm; No 2 cash, 40c asked.; May 43c. Oats quiet; cash, 30c. Rye higher; cash, 50c. Cloverseed steady; prime cash and Nov, $5.50; Dec, $5.55.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 10.—Wheat, firm; No 2 spring, 58½c; No 1 Northern, 64c; Dec, 59⅞c. Corn, higher; No 3, 38½c. Oats higher; No 2 white, 30c; No 3 do, 29c. Barley, dull; No 2, 52c; sample, 36½@54c. Rye, higher; No 1, 47½c.

Coffee Market.

Reported by Hanley & Kinsella Coffee and Spice Co., St. Louis, Mo.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.

	First Call.	Second Call.	Third Call.
November	17.40	......	......
December	17.00	17.00 c	......
January	16.65 b	......	......
February	16.64 b	......	......
March	16.35 b	16.35	......
April	......	......	......

Mail Pouch coffee at 24.85c.

RIO—Coffee—No 7 exchange standard and Exchange unchanged; receipts, 4,000; stock, 62,000; market quiet. Santos receipts, 6,000; stock, 200,000; good average. Santos 15 mil 500.

LIVE STOCK.

National Stock Yards.

Cattle—Receipts, 1,372 head. There was about the usual light Friday's supply in the native department, mostly cows and heifers, and very few good steers, but the bulk of the sales were made at about steady prices. The market in the Texas department opened with about 36 car loads, mostly cows and heifers. Prices ruled steady to strong.

NATIVE CATTLE SALES.

No. Quality.	Av.	Price.	No. Quality.	Av.	Price.
18 cows	851	$2 10	26 mixed	726	$1 75
7 cows	1,000	2 30	8 cws & hfrs	725	2 00
14 steers	850	2 00	24 cws & hfrs	676	1 90
17 mixed	812	2 20	35 cws & hfrs	732	1 80
19 cows	834	2 10	12 mixed	582	1 50
10 cows	915	1 75	31 cows	841	2 15
6 steers	616	1 65	9 oxen	993	2 00

SOUTHERN CATTLE SALES.

No. Quality.	Av.	Price.	No. Quality.	Av.	Price.
63 Tex strs.	866	$2 50	10 Tex cws.	708	$2 00
18 Tex strs.	861	2 40	34 Tex cws.	628	2 00
11 Tex strs.	780	2 40	27 cws & hfs	616	1 90
29 Tex cws.	645	2 10	66 Tex calves, each		6 50
42 Tex cws.	658	2 00	8 Tex calves, each		5 00
76 Tex cws.	683	2 00			

Hogs—Receipts 1,871 head. The market opened with a fair supply of light to medium and a few heavy weights. There was a demand for all the better class. Butchers paid $6.05@6.07½ for heavy, and the ordinary run of good mixed grades ranged $5.80 to $6. The early sales were at steady prices, but at the close the market was easier.

HOG SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
64	246	$6 07½	73	226	$6 05
73	236	6 00	75	226	6 00
66	191	6 00	82	209	6 00
73	217	6 00	63	202	5 95
81	199	6 00	84	216	5 90
55	211	5 90	55	204	5 90
63	210	5 90	80	194	5 90
71	215	5 90	57	302	5 85
53	232	5 85	41	168	5 85
101	180	5 75	44	207	5 75
83	200	5 85	35	165	5 70
76	208	5 85	16	126	5 65
93	187	5 65	44	148	5 60
61	180	5 40			

Sheep—Receipts, 1,142 head. The supply consisted of about seven loads of natives and two double decks of Texas feeders. The natives were of fair quality, but there was nothing choice. There was demand enough from local butchers and dressed meat men to clean up all the offerings at good steady prices.

SHEEP SALES.

No. Quality.	Av.	Price.	No. Quality.	Av.	Price.
10 natives	104	$3 25	44 nat mixed	85	2 80
81 nat mixed	80	3 05	118 stockers	74	2 25
32 nat mixed	87	3 15	94 S. W. mxd	80	2 50
74 nat mixed	95	3 00	548 Tx feedrs	74	2 40

Live Stock by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.—The Evening Journal reports: Cattle—Receipts 7,000, including 2,000 Texans and 1,000 Westerns; good strong common steady; good to choice steers, $4.80@5.80; mediums, $4.25@4.60; common, $3.50@4.10; cows, $1.25@3.25; Western steers, $2.40@3.75; Texans, $2.30@3.00; feeders, $3.50. Hogs—Receipts, 22,500; opened strong, ruling 5@10c lower; rough and common, $5.65@5.80; mixed and packers, $5.80@6.00; prime heavy and butchers' weights, $6.10@6.20; light, $5.75@6.20. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,000; over supplied, dull and lower; common, 75c to $2; fair to good, $2.25@3.25; feeders, $2.25@2.75; lambs, $1.50@4.50.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,900 head; shipments, 3,500 head; market steady; Texas steers, $2.05@3; shipping steers, $4@5.25; butchers' stock, $3.20@4.15; stockers and feeders, $2.20@3.65. Hogs—Receipts, 6,400 head; shipments, 300 head; market 5@10c lower; heavy packing and mixed, $5.70@5.90; light yorkers and pigs, $5@5.80. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000 head; shipments, none; market slow.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,300; steady; natives, $3.60@5.25; Western, $2 60@4.25; Texans, $2.25@3.10; cows, $1.25@3; feeders, $2 50@3.75. Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; 5@10c lower; heavy, $5.85@5.97½; light, $5.80@5.90; bulk, $5.85@5.90. Sheep—Receipts, 300, steady; $2@3; lambs, $3@4.

SIOUX CITY, Nov. 10.—Hogs—Receipts, 800; official yesterday, 1,272; shipments none; heavy, 5c higher; others steady, $5.72½@5 85; bulk, $5.75@5.80. Cattle—Receipts, 100; official yesterday, 522; shipments, 631; stock cattle and mediums, 5c to 10c lower.

Union Stock Yards.

Receipts, 343 cattle, 1,122 hogs, 418 sheep, 21 horses and mules; market light, $5.80@5.90; packing, $5.90@6; butchers, $5.95@6.10.

MONEY.

Bank clearings $4,176,090
Balances 591,920

Exchange quoted by A. G. Edwards & Son:

New York	75c pre	Chicago	25c dis
Louisville	25c dis	Cincinnati	25c dis
New Orleans	par		

Private wire to Gaylord, Blessing & Co.

LONDON, 2 p. m.—Prices of American securities:

Lake Shore	131½ dec ¼	Union Pac	18 adv ¼
St. Paul	66⅛ dec ⅜	N. Pac. pfd	22½ unc
L. & N.	49⅛ adv ⅛	Reading	11 unc
Erie	14⅛ adv ⅛	Atchison	19⅛ dec ⅛

NEW YORK, 9 a. m.—The fact that neither London nor the public appeared as buyers of stocks yesterday morning gave the bears a very clear opening. The selling was credited to the Cammack-Wheeler party, but they were helped by the dumping of stocks bought Wednesday on election enthusiasm. The recently active bulls took the ground last night that it was a narrow market, which would rally on good news and take a slump on bad ones; there is nothing to either side more than short turns.

Chicago special: The Tribune this morning says that the Distillers and Cattle Feeders' Co. has purchased 40,000 head of cattle under 3c per lb, which will be at once distributed among the different distilleries. This enterprise with the usual market price means a profit of $200,000 to the Distillers' company.

President Reinhart of the Atchison says there is no truth in the report that a receiver is contemplated for the Atchison road. It is the impression among commission houses that Wall street is holding on to its wheat and will increase its line considerably before long.

The earnings of the St. Paul road for the first week of Nov decreased $60,000. Sterling exchange is quoted to-day at 482 to 485.

BOSTON, Nov. 10.—Mexican 4s, 74; Allouez, 40; Atlantic, 8½; Boston and Montana, 24; Butte and Boston, 7½; Centennial, 2¼; Quincy, 105; Franklin, 10; Kearsarge, 6; Osceola, 27½.

LONDON, Nov. 10, 4 p. m., close.—Consols for money and the account, 98⅛; Canadian Pacific, 74⅝; Erie, 14⅜; Erie seconds, 70⅛; Illinois Central, 95⅛; Mexican ordinary, 14; St. Paul common, 66⅛; New York Central, 105⅝; Pennsylvania, 53⅛; Reading, 10⅝; Mexican Central new 4s, 57. Bar silver, 32 7-16d per ounce. Money, ⅛ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for both short and three months' bills 2⅛@2⅛ per cent.

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Wall Street.

WALL STREET, Nov. 10, 10:15 a. m.—The stock market opened lower and weak. New England was 1½ per cent down, and the rest of the active list ⅛ to 1⅛ per cent, the latter in Lake Shore. In the early dealings New England recovered ⅜ per cent and later receded 1⅛ per cent to 29⅛. The general list made a partial rally and held it quite steadily. A moderate volume of business is being done.

The steamship Fuerst Bismarck brought gold bars to the amount of $655,000 to Lazard Freres.

11 a. m.—The general market has been fairly steady since 10:15 o'clock. New England, however, has been very heavy on sales induced by the announcement that the New Haven & Railroad Hartford Co. has given notice that on and after Nov. 15, the special trains of the New England road from the Grand Central Depot, New York City, will be abolished. This seems to be accepted as the opening gun in a war against New England and consequently it was sold freely. Under the pressure to sell it went down to 28, a decline of 3⅛ from last night's closing sales. Chicago Gas has declined 7⅛ and Sugar ⅜. Louisville, New Albany preferred is down 1⅛ per cent to 39⅛.

Noon—Money on call easy at 1½. Prime mercantile paper, 4⅛@4⅛c; sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 484@¼ for demand and at 482@¼ for sixty days; posted rates, 482@485; commercial bills, 479⅛@480. Silver certificates, 70⅛; no sales. Bar silver, 70. The speculation on the Stock Exchange up to noon has been characterized by a fairly steady tone for the general list, which, at this hour, stands ⅜ below last night's closing figures. New England has been the star performer of the morning, having been subjected to a heavy strain by reason of the scheme to shut it out of New York City altogether. It dropped from 31⅛, the closing of yesterday, to 28 on large sales, recovering to 29⅛ and reacting to 28⅛. Cotton Oil was also quite weak, the common selling off 2⅛ per cent to 30 and recovering to 30⅛, the preferred declined 3⅛ per cent to 71, rallying to 71⅛. Cordage preferred is strong and has advanced 2⅛ per cent to 54⅛.

The market at noon is generally steady and dull.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 10.—The Pittsburg Clearing-house cancelled all certificates to-day. The total was $987,000. This amount has been paid since Sept 1.

New York Stock Quotations.

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ST. LOUIS, Nov. 10.

NAME OF STOCK.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
American Tobacco Co	86½	86⅝	85⅞	86⅝
American Tobacco Co. pfd				
Atchison	18⅝	19⅛	18⅝	19
Baltimore & Ohio				
Canada Southern	51	51⅛	50⅝	51⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio, com	19	19⅛	19	19⅛
Canadian Pacific				
Central New Jersey	117			117
Chicago & Alton, com				
Chicago Gas Trust	60	62⅛	59⅝	62⅛
C., C., C. & St. L	36⅛			36⅛
Chicago & Eastern Illinois				
Chi., R. I. & P	67	67⅝	66⅝	67⅛
Chi., Bur. & Quincy	82⅛	82⅛	82⅛	82⅛
Chi., M. & St. P., com	64⅛	64⅜	63⅝	63⅝
Chi., M. & St. P., pfd				
Chi. & N. W., com	104	104	103⅞	103⅞
Col. Fuel & Iron				
Cotton Oil, com	32⅛	32⅛	30	31⅛
Cotton Oil, pfd	73	73	71	71½
Delaware, Lack. & W				
Delaware & Hudson	131⅛	131⅛	131⅛	131⅛
Edison General	44⅛	45⅛	44⅛	[illegible]
Erie com	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Erie pfd				
Erie 2ds	68⅛	68⅛	68	68⅛
Hocking Valley	21⅛	22	21⅛	21⅛
Illinois Central	92⅛	92⅛	[illegible]	[illegible]
Laclede Gas, com	17			17
Laclede Gas, pfd				
Laclede Gas, bonds	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛
Lake Erie & W., com				
Lake Erie & W., pfd	69	69⅛	69	69⅛
Lake Shore	127⅛	127⅛	127	127⅛
Louisville & Nashville	47⅛	48	47⅛	47⅛
Lead com	27	27⅛	26⅛	27⅛
Lead pfd	75	75⅛	75	75⅛
Linseed Oil	19⅛			
Michigan Central	101			101
Missouri Pacific	24⅛	25	24⅛	24⅛
M., K. & T. pfd	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
Manhattan Elevated	132			132
Manitoba				
Nash. & Chat				
Nat. Cordage, com	25	25	24⅛	24⅛
Nat. Cordage, pfd	54⅛			54⅛
New York & New England	30⅛	30⅛	28	28
New York Central	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
N. Y. C. & St. L., com				
N. Y. C. 1st pfd				
N. Y. C. 2d, pfd				
North America	5			5
Northern Pacific, com	7⅛		7⅛	7⅛
Northern Pacific, pfd	21⅛	22	21⅛	21⅛
Ohio Southern				
Ohio & Miss., com				
Ontario & Western	17	17	16⅛	16⅛
Omaha, com	37	37	36⅛	36⅛
Omaha, pfd				
Pacific Mail	18			18
Peoria, Decatur & Evansville				
Philadelphia & Reading	21⅛	21⅛	20⅛	21⅛
Pullman Palace Car	174	174⅛	174	174
Richmond Terminal	3⅛	3⅛		
Silver	70⅛			70⅛
Southern Pacific	18⅛	19	18⅛	19
Sugar common	98⅛	99⅛	98⅛	99⅛
Sugar preferred	91⅛			91⅛
Tenn. Coal & Iron				
Texas & Pacific				
Toledo, Ann H. & Mich.	7⅛			7⅛
Union Pacific	17	17⅛	17	17⅛
U. S. Rubber common				
U. S. Rubber preferred				
Wabash, St. L. & P				
Wabash, St. L. & P. pfd	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
Western U. T. Co	87⅛	88	87⅛	87⅛
Wheeling Com	15⅛			15⅛
Wheeling pfd	52⅛			52⅛
Whisky Trust	29⅛	30⅛	29	30⅛
Wisconsin Central				

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City 3½ sterling	1919	Feb and Aug	90	92½
City 3.65sterling	1907	June and Dec	95	97
City 4s, 10-20s, sterling	1902-05	Various	98	100
City 4s, sterling	1905	June and Dec	99	100
City 4s, sterling	1908	April and Oct	99½	100½
City 4s, sterling	1918	Jan and July	99½	101
City 5s, sterling	1900	Jan and July	100	100½
City 6s, Park 6s	1892-94	Various	99	100
City 6s, sterling	1895-96	Various	101	103
City 6s, sterling	1898-99	Various	105	107
County sterling	1905	April and Oct	112	116
RAILWAY BONDS.				
Mo Pac consols	1920	May and Nov	90	93
Mo Pac 3ds	1896	May and Nov	102	104
No Mo 1st m 7s	1895	Jan and July	104	105
K P 1st m 6s	1895	Feb and Aug	101	103
K P 1st m 6s	1896	June and Dec	102	104
K P D Ex 6s	1899	May and Nov	109	110
K P consols	1919	May and Nov	84	88
St L & San F 2d 6s, g, Class A	1906	May and Nov	103½	106
St L & San F 2d 6s, g, Class B	1906	May and Nov	103½	105
St L & San F 2d 6s, g, Class C	1906	May and Nov	103½	105

Works Both Ways.

From Vogue.

Goodman: "Do you ever think of the good old saying that it's more blessed to give than to receive?"

Pugsley: "Yes, when I've got the boxing gloves on I do."

Poetic Pittsburg.

From the Chicago Record.

"Beautiful!" answered the fair Pittsburg girl when asked whether the World's Fair was attractive. "Beautiful! Well, I should just say it is. The buildings look as though they were carved out of solid ice-cream."

Mrs. Shoddy.

From the Chicago Record.

Mrs. Kultshaw: "How did you like Switzerland, Mrs. Newrich?"

Mrs. Newrich (just returned from Europe): "Immensely! But I can't help thinking how nice it would be if those plaguey mountains wasn't in the way!"

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NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Mt. Cabanne Christian Church's New Mission—Notes.

Mount Cabanne Christian Church, at King's highway and Morgan street, which has quite a reputation as a parent of missions, will establish a new mission in Foerstel's Hall, Clayton avenue, near Newstead avenue, next Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Mr. W. W. Dawling, the Superintendent of Mount Cabanne Sunday-school, will be in charge of the class and he will have under him an efficient corps of teachers. Beginning Sunday evening, the 19th inst., Rev. O. A. Bartholomew, pastor of Mount Cabanne Church, will preach regularly at Foerstel Hall.

Fifth Christian Church at 3331 South Seventh street, which was practically abandoned by the City Mission Board, has been revived, and will be given another chance to establish itself on a firm footing as a self-sustaining church. Rev. J. F. Martin is preaching regularly, and Mr. O. E. Payne of Mount Cabanne Church is in charge of the Sunday-school.

Rev. W. D. Young, formerly of Oakwood, Mo., is preaching regularly at Lafayette Park Christian Church. Services are held on the first floor of the Anchor Hall building at Jefferson and Park avenues, but the City Mission Board expects to establish a prosperous church in the vicinity at no very late day.

Catholic Orphan Board's Appeal.

The Board of Managers of the Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum has recently issued a circular letter to the churches of the diocese, reminding the pastors of the annual collection for the benefit of the orphans. The latter states that last year only thirty-three of the seventy-three parishes made returns for the support of the orphans, and makes an appeal for special aid at the present time. The running expenses of the asylums last year is placed at $25,000, of which $10,000 was derived from the Patterson bequest, $500 from the Catholic Cemetery Board, and $9,000 from the Orphan Aid Society. The deficit was met by drafts on funds derived from the sale of the Watson farm. The letter adds that $75,000 has been paid out in connection with the new asylum, now in course of erection. Archbishop Kain adds a letter of approval to the appeal. The Catholic Orphan Board had a three-fourths interest in the leasehold for the property at the southwest corner of Fourth and Olive streets, on which the Laclede Building stands, and the Convent of the Good Shepherd had a one-fourth interest. The Orphan Board paid $75,000 for the Good Shepherd Convent interest last week, and then borrowed $175,000 for five years at 6 per cent on the complete leasehold.

Presbyterian Union.

The Presbyterian Social Union will meet this evening at the Grand Avenue Presbyterian Church, Washington and Grand avenues. Rev. Willis G. Craig, D. D., Professor of Theology in McCormack Theological Seminary, Chicago, and Moderator of the General Assembly of this year which tried Prof. Charles A. Briggs, and Rev. P. S. Henson, D. D., will deliver addresses. Admission will be by ticket, as a large gathering is expected. Refreshments will be served and an excellent musical programme will be rendered. Dressing rooms will be provided for ladies and gentlemen who are attired in evening dress. The officers of the union are: T. S. McPheeters, President; D. R. Wolfe, Vice-President; Selden P. Spencer, Treasurer; M. Greenwood, Jr., Secretary. Executive Committee: Rev. R. G. Brank, D. D., Rev. Geo. E. Martin, D. K. Ferguson, Esq., J. B. Farmer, Esq., A. H. Frederick, Esq. The Reception Committee is: E. H. Semple, Chairman; John D. Davies, W. S. Swingley, Charles Hodgman, D. R. Wolfe, A. H. Frederick, R. B. McConnell, A. L. Shapleigh, Selden P. Spencer, J. R. Daugherty, C. C. Nicholls, W. J. S. Bryan, Gordon C. McNeil.

Methodist Extension.

All the Southern Methodist ministers will preach to their congregations about church extension next Sunday. This is in pursuance of a movement to organize an auxiliary Society for the purpose of raising $20,000 each year for mission work in St. Louis. An effort was made a year ago to raise $200,000 for ten years and subscribers were requested to give their notes of hand, binding them to pay a specified amount each year. Many of the laity objected to giving long term notes, and the total could not be reached. As all subscriptions were contingent upon the obtaining of the whole, the givers were released from their obligations. The Auxiliary Society will raise $20,000 each year, without the use of notes. All the ministers will organize Auxiliary Societies in their churches next Wednesday evening.

The Inglis Services.

The special services being conducted under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. at Union M. E. Church by Mr. Inglis of London are very successful. At yesterday afternoon's meeting Revs. James H. Brookes, M. G. Gorin, C. P. Masden, W. R. L. Smith, J. F. Carman and others were present.

Religious Notes.

The Sunday evening Service Club of the Third Congregational Church, Page and Grand avenues, will have a very entertaining programme next Sunday evening. It will be rendered by Miss Phila Pierce, organist; Miss Fannie L. Clardy, soprano; Miss Mattie G. Davis, contralto; Mr. W. H. Brooks, tenor, and Mr. Charles A. Finley, baritone, assisted by Victor Lichtenstein, violinist, and a male quartette.

The select soiree given by St. Patrick's Lyceum last evening was a pronounced success. The exercises commenced promptly at 8 p. m. in the school hall, which was tastefully decorated for the occasion. A very interesting programme of instrumental selections was rendered. Among those present were Misses Agnes Dougherty, Lena Brenning, Mamie Hennessey, Mamie Scully, Nellie Bartley, Susie Smith, Annie Creighton, Maggie Nolan, Celia O'Brien, Teresa Kelleard, Della Ward, Mamie Callahan, Nellie Creighton, Gussie Meyers, Mary McTighe, Katie O'Toole, and Messrs. Prof. M. T. Burke, J. Mooney, E. Ahearn, R. J. Morrisey, J. E. O'Shea, L. Lamb, W. J. O'Connor, W. J. Carroll, J. E. Haggerty, Jr., T. Reardon and F. Eberling.

The annual requiem mass for the deceased members of the Priests' Sodality was celebrated at St. Cronin's Church last Tuesday with the following officers: Fr. McNamee, celebrant; Fr. May, deacon; Fr. Lavery, subdeacon, and Fr. McGlynn, master of ceremonies. The Very Rev. H. Muehlsiepen, V. G., reported that since the last meeting the sodality had lost three members by death and received fifteen new members, making a total membership of 201. Archbishop Kain was one of the new members. Four priests applied for admission at the meeting Tuesday morning and were received, so that the sodality now numbers 205. There were forty-three priests present at the mass.

Rev. D. I. Denman of Hannibal is preaching every evening this week at the Water Tower Baptist Church, on Grand avenue, near Florissant avenue.

Rev. E. D. Walker, State Superintendent of Presbyterian Missions, has gone to Arkansas to spend two weeks among the colored Presbyterians of that State.

Rev. T. S. Bailey of Cedar Rapids, Io., Superintendent of Presbyterian Missions of Iowa, was in the city yesterday on his way to Georgia, in search of repose.

The Rev. Robert I. Fleming, pastor of Lindell Avenue Church, will preach the Thanksgiving sermon at the union service to be held on that day by the Methodist Episcopal Churches of St. Louis.

The Archbishop of Zante took a carriage drive through the city yesterday afternoon with Bishop Tuttle under the guidance of Rev. P. S. Robert of the Church of the Holy Communion. The Archbishop leaves for Springfield, Ill., to-day.

Dr. Sale will lecture at Shaare Emeth Sunday, Nov. 12, on "Will there ever be a universal religion?"

Arrested for Cruelty.

Edward Steed, a hack driver, was arrested at the Union Depot this morning by Officer Knocke on a charge of cruelty to animals, preferred by a livery man named Shelton, who keeps a stable at 2283 Carr street. Shelton alleges that Steed got possession of a rig belonging to him last night and drove about the city, overdriving the animal.

Stabbed by an Unknown.

Richard Bridges of 3719 Vista avenue, while at Donk Bros.' coalyard, on Manchester road and Vandeventer avenues, engaged in a fight with an unknown man, who stabbed him slightly in the back of the head and then escaped.

SUFFERING FROM LOCKJAW.

Not Much Hope for John Reardon—News, Notes and Gossip From Alton.

ALTON, Ill., Nov. 10.—John Reardon, a tramp, who was taken to St. Joseph Hospital some days ago with a badly burned leg, is still at the hospital and is suffering fearful pain from his burns. The condition of his limb has grown worse until yesterday Dr. Taphorn amputated it just above the knee. Lockjaw has developed in the patient and there is not much hope of his recovery.

Andrew Mayford, residing at North Alton, had a very narrow escape from losing his eyesight Tuesday night. He was carrying a lantern in his hand and raised it to make it burn properly, when the lantern exploded right in his face, burning his head and face badly, but fortunately did little damage to his eyes.

George W. Cossaboon, aged 34 years, and employed at the Illinois Glass Works as a "stopper-grinder," died yesterday morning at 5 o'clock after a lingering illness of consumption. His remains will be shipped to-night at 8:55 o'clock to Mellville, N. J., for interment.

Mr. George G. Grisham of Alton and Miss Agnes Hull of Wood River were married last night at the residence of the bride's parents.

Deputy Clerk Brandeweide issued a marriage license yesterday to James C. Ballinger of Wood's Station and Miss Rebecca J. Drew of Alton, both young colored people.

Meyer Rubenstein, who was arrested on the charge of horse stealing the other day, was released from jail, and his case dismissed; a compromise was made by the parties.

Contractors Ash & Hope completed the brick work last night for the building to be occupied by the Hayden-Webb Machine and Foundry Co. The plant will soon begin operations.

Mr. H. S. Farmalee of East Orange, N. J., delivered an address last night at St. Paul's Episcopal Church to the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

The ladies of St. Paul's Episcopal Church have organized a new society called St. Elizabeth's Guild. Mrs. H. M. Chittendon was elected President and Miss Maud Gregg, Treasurer.

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TREASURER M'BRIDE'S SHORTAGE.

The Knights of Honor Committee Have Found a Deficit of $16,000.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 10.—The Committee recently appointed by the Supreme Lodge of Knights and Ladies of Honor to examine into the conditions of the books of ex-Supreme Treasurer McBride has made a report, and finds that a shortage of nearly $16,000 exists.

The committee chooses to call it a claim against McBride and that it is the result of merely bad bookkeeping. The report exonerates Ed Macbeth, the cashier for McBride, from all responsibility for the shortage.

The shortage, according to the books of the order, dates back eight years. In 1885 a committee which had been investigating McBride's accounts reported them to be correct. This will bring up the question of the liability of McBride's bondsmen for the amount of the shortage. McBride failed of re-election at the convention of the supreme officers recently held in this city.

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STOLE A BICYCLE.—William Barnett, a negro 19 years old, was arrested last night on suspicion of having stolen a bicycle valued at $163 from Edward Wiesenborn of 1326 Lasalle street. The bicycle was found at 1620 South Third street, where it is said Barnett sold it to Edward Jost.

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Ladies' Cloth Top Overgaiters, 10 shades.....10c

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